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LANE—September 28, 1927, at Innisfallen, Bagnor, the wife of Doctor Samuel Armstrong Lane, a son.

MEACOCK—September 28, 1927, at The Grammar School, [illegible], to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Meacock, a son.

MONTEITH—September 26, 1927, at 14 North Main street, Wexford, to Rosaleen, wife of Robert Monteith, a daughter.

ROWAN—September 29, 1927, at 116 Egerton street, [illegible], to the wife of Dr. J. Celestine Rowan, a son.

MARRIAGES.

BRADFIELD and CAMPION—September 22, 1927, at St. Kevin's Church, Dublin, by Rev. J. [illegible], John, only son of late Mr. James [illegible] and Mrs. Bradfield, Tullylands, Bandon, to [illegible], younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Campion, Cavendish quay, Bandon.

COLLES and NOLAN—September 28, 1927, at Holy Trinity Church, Sloane street, London, by the Rev. J. Pochard, Paymaster Commander Alexander [illegible] Colles, R.N., elder son of Mr. R. Colles, of [illegible] road, Kew Gardens, Surrey, to Doris, [illegible] of Mr. M. K. Nolan, LL.D., of Sydney, Australia.

DICKIE and BEST—September 19, 1927, at [illegible] street Baptist Chapel, Dublin, by Pastor [illegible], Robert, second son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], 35 Botanic avenue, Dublin, to Lily, [illegible] daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Best, 2 [illegible] avenue, Dolphin's Barn, Dublin.

FIELD and NOLAN—September 10, 1927, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York, Paul Titoy Field, son of the late Bernard Field and Mrs. Field, [illegible] Wells, Harvington, to Margery Isabelin, [illegible] of the late Edward P. Nolan, Riverdale, [illegible] and Mrs. Vaudine Nolan.

FINIGAN and O'HARA—September 21, 1927, at St. [illegible] Church, Arran quay, by the Rev. James [illegible], C.C., Joseph, son of the late Patrick and Mrs. Finigan, of Dublin, to Kathleen, daughter of [illegible] O'Hara and Mrs. O'Hara, of St. [illegible] road, and niece of Edward O'Hara, [illegible] road, Dublin.

FURLONG and KINSELLA—September 12, 1927, at the Church of the Assumption, Wexford, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. G. J. [illegible], Patrick F. Furlong, 72 North Main street, Wexford, youngest son of Nicholas and [illegible] Furlong, Mulgannon, Wexford, to Gertrude [illegible] daughter of John and Mrs. Kinsella, [illegible] road, Wexford.

McLEAN and CROWLEY—August 20, 1927, at the Church of St. Mary, Holyhead, James McLean, of [illegible] road, son of the late Robert [illegible] McLean, to Lilian, daughter of the late [illegible] Crowley, of Dungriffan, Clontarf.

McCLEAN and KING—September 13, 1927, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Strabane, with Nuptial Mass, by Rev. Fr. Conway, C.C., assisted by Rev. Fr. Murphy, C.C., Captain Charles [illegible], youngest son of the late John and Mrs. Margaret McClean, Westbrook House, Coleraine, to Kathleen, youngest daughter of James and Mrs. King, 4 [illegible] street, Strabane, and late of [illegible].

MacNULTY and BYRNE—September 7, 1927, at [illegible], by the Rev. T. Farrell, C.C., [illegible] MacNulty, Hibernian Bank, [illegible], son of Mr. and Mrs. MacNulty, Cullen House, [illegible], to Kathleen, daughter of the late [illegible] and Mrs. Byrne, Ballykeane House, [illegible].

NOLAN and TIMMINS—September 14, 1927, at [illegible] Church, [illegible], with Nuptial Mass, by Rev. [illegible], C.C., Maudlinstown, Coolehill, John [illegible], County Kildare, to Kathleen (Lil) [illegible] daughter of Patrick and Mrs. Timmins, [illegible], County Cavan.

SUTHERLAND and HARBRON—September 14, [illegible].

TREADWELL and BELL—September 24, 1927, at [illegible] Church, by the Rev. Canon [illegible], M.A., [illegible], assisted by the Rev. Canon [illegible], M.A., Thomas Harvey, eldest son of Mrs. Treadwell and the late Thomas Treadwell, Castle[illegible], to Elizabeth Muriel (Lily), eldest daughter of Thomas William and Mrs. Bell, Drum[illegible].

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BLOOD—September 29, 1927, at his residence, [illegible], Monkstown, George Louis Blood, [illegible] son of the late John Lloyd Blood, [illegible] Funeral (private), Deans Grange, Monday, [illegible].

BOYD—September 30, 1927, at Sloperton, Kingstown, [illegible], fifth son of the late Samuel Boyd, of [illegible]. Funeral private.

CRYAN—September 29, 1927, at 1130 Park [illegible], New York, suddenly, Robert William [illegible], eldest son of the late Robert William [illegible], Esq., late of 8 Merrion square, [illegible] and of Mrs. Cryan. Requiem Mass at St. [illegible] street, this (Saturday) morning at [illegible].

DIGBY—September 29, 1927, at Highwood, [illegible], Reginald Digby, late of Geashill, [illegible] County, aged 80. Funeral at Wimborne [illegible].

FORBES—September 28, 1927, John Forbes, late [illegible], aged 54 years. Deeply regretted [illegible] wife and family. Funeral to-day [illegible] 1st, Rathconnell Parish Church, [illegible].

McRUDDEN—September 25, 1927, at his residence, [illegible], Clapham Common, London, [illegible] McCrudden, Assistant Southern [illegible]. Inserted by his bereaved sister, [illegible] Dublin.

MURPHY—[illegible], 30 Stanford road, Brighton, [illegible], late Colonel 6th Battalion [illegible], 17 Merrion square, Dublin, aged [illegible] St. Luke's, Prestonville, Brighton, [illegible] 3rd October.

REYNOLDS—September 30, 1927, Stanislaus [illegible], of John and Georgiana Reynolds, [illegible] Funeral private.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

[illegible], Mount Temple, Moate, [illegible] their most grateful thanks [illegible] who sent letters and telegrams [illegible] great sorrow, and trust [illegible] acknowledgment.

Mrs. Moran and family, Baymount, Clontarf, [illegible] to all who sympathised [illegible] bereavement, and hope to [illegible] each individually.

MONTH'S MIND.

MORRISSY—The Month's Memory Requiem Office and High Mass for the repose of the soul of the [illegible] Morrissy, P.P., will be celebrated at [illegible] Church on Monday morning, 3rd October, at [illegible] o'clock.

[illegible] Month's Mind Office and High Mass for late Rev. Myles O'Rourke, C.C., will be held in St. [illegible], Seville place, Dublin, on Tuesday, October 4th, at 11 o'clock.

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MOTOR Hoods Recovered; Curtains, Cushions, New Celluloids.—Harris, 11 South King street. 29 D

ROVER Eight Two Seater, perfect order, owner driven, £45.—M 402, this office. 29 F

SALOON Car for Sale, unused; £100 off list price.—A. P. Hunt, 106/7 Middle Abbey street, Dublin. 30 B

TRIUMPH 10/30 Semi-Coupe, little used, perfect; cost £445, price £175; seen by appointment.—Cunon Long, Ballytore, Co. Kildare. 27 F

VELIE Six Cylinder 24 h.p. Car for Sale, as new, cost £550, only run 5,000 miles; accept £230 or nearest offer.—M 346, this office. 29 B

1923 SINGER Two Seater for Sale, in excellent condition, five nearly new tyres; trial given. Address Z 1635, "Motor," this office. X

1927 FIAT 12 h.p. Touring Car, cost £335, complete, little used; owner buying Fiat Saloon; price £185.—Andrew J. Doyle, Fiat Depot, 51 South King street, Dublin. 'Phone 2721. 27 F

1927 MORRIS Oxford 5 Seater Model, completely equipped as per catalogue specification; tax and insurance paid; entirely owner driven; mileage only 5,000; owner gone abroad.—G. A. Brittain, Ltd., 4-15 Lincoln Place. 27 F

1926 MORRIS Cowley Two Seater, front wheel brakes, splendid condition; sacrifice.—65 Lower Leeson street. 27 F

WANTED.

WANTED, 2 Seater Car, late model, good condition essential; give particulars, price, etc.—M 554, this office. 30 A

MOTOR CYCLES.

ADVANCES on Motor Bikes, Cars, Jewels.—Gorman, Pawnbroker, Winetavern street (opposite Four Courts), new garage. T

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NEW Imperial, No. 1, 300 c.c., loop frame, all chain drive, mechanical lubrication, 30/- tax; end of season price £40; two only.—Booth Bros., [illegible] street, Dublin. 28 F

SIDECAR, Montgomery Sports, new last October; £11 or nearest offer.—A. Chatterton, Enniskerry.

1926 2¼ Raleigh, new condition, all chain drive; £25 or nearest.—M 268, this office. 28 A

1926 E.W. Douglas, dust oiling, in excellent condition; taxed and insured.—M 425, this office. 30 C

1927 NORTON 16 H. only a few months in use, condition as new, 50 gns.—Kelly, Bachelor's Walk. 27 F

WANTED.

COMBINATION Wanted, really low price; solo capable of sidecar work considered.—M 289, this office. 28 A

LORRIES, VANS, MOTOR AND STEAM HAULAGE.

COMMER Cars can now be obtained on the Hire Purchase System. Apply Collier, Main street, Bray, Co. Wicklow. T

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WANTED, Gears for 1912 Argyll [illegible], 15.9 h.p. Address "Z 1708, Gears," this office. 28 A

GARAGE ACCOMMODATION AND REPAIRS.

GARAGE to Let, Mount Merrion avenue, Blackrock; 5/- weekly. Address "Z 1661, Garage," this office. 27 F

GARAGE to Let—4 Upper Pembroke street. 30 C

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BICYCLES.

AGENTS for all leading makes of Cycles; cash or easy payments.—Kelly, 27 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

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DISENGAGED

CHAUFFEUR—Ex-Service Man disengaged; careful driver, general man, milk; highly recommended; single, R.C.—M 485, this office. 30 A

DRIVER Mechanic, ten years' experience, three years present job, desires change; all cars and lighting plants, private or commercial. Address "Z 1613, Driver," this office. 29 F

DRIVER, experienced, presently engaged, desires change; excellent references.—R. O. 506, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 29 B

CHAUFFEURS CONTINUED.

DISENGAGED.

GROOM Chauffeur, married, seeks position; can ride, break and school young horses; drive any make of car; well recommended. Address "Z 1662, Chauffeur," this office. 27 F

RESPECTABLE Boy, age 19, desires situation in city garage; some experience, strong; small wage to start.—R. O. 505, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 29 B

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WANTED, energetic Assistant, having good knowledge of Seed and Hardware Trades; only man desirous of improving required. Send copy papers and state wages expected, outdoor, to J. F. Dooley and Co., Birr. 29 F

WELL educated Youth, age 16 to 18, required as Junior Clerk, in large city Office; excellent prospects; suitable opportunity for gentlemanly youth leaving school. Reply, with particulars of examinations passed, and state where educated, M 494, this office. 29 B

WANTED, Manager for Omnibus Company in Irish Free State; only thoroughly qualified applicants considered; state fully experience, qualifications, age, and salary expected; copies of documents.—Box 371, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin. 30 B

WANTED, Charge Hand for Gent's Readymade and Outfitting Department, Protestant; state experience and salary, outdoor; also smart young Lady for Ladies' Outfitting Department, indoor. Address "Z 1830, Charge," this office. 30 B

WANTED, experienced Book-keeper for Wholesale Grocery and Millstuffs Department of extensive manufacturing firm in the West of Ireland. Apply, giving copies references and stating salary, "Z 1806, Bookkeeper," this office. 30 C

WANTED, expert Shorthand Typist for an extensive general and manufacturing firm in the West of Ireland. Apply, giving copies references and stating salary, "Z 1805, Typist," this office. 30 C

WANTED, experienced young Lady, take charge Newsagency, Tobacconist, Fancies and Stationery. Apply, with reference, stating age, religion, and salary expected, "Z 1828, Lady," this office. 30 A

WANTED an Apprentice to Ladies' Tailoring and Dressmaking; will be taught her business thoroughly; fee required. Apply Mrs. Hayes, 19 Lord Edward street, Dublin.

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FOR Sale, 100 £1 Shares in City of Dublin Assurance Co., Ltd., at 15/- per share; what offers?—M 264, this office. B

LOANS granted to respectable applicants; terms moderate.—P. Tocher, 19 Fownes's street, Dublin. 18 T

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HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS, OFFICIALS, SERVANTS, ETC.

POSITIONS VACANT.

AN intelligent country Girl as Cook General, for Private Hotel; R.P.'s reference.—M 500, this office.

STILLROOM Maid, also good General required. Apply Royal Hibernian Hotel. 29 F

WAITRESS required immediately. Apply Power's Hotel.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

AN experienced Housemaid; hotel preferred; very highly recommended. Address "Z 1670, Maid," this office. 27 F

A YOUNG Lady, having 12 years' Hotel experience, 7 years in charge in present hotel, desires a change; would go as Housekeeper or Assistant Manageress or nice bar and Books; highest references, age 29. Address "Z 1657, Lady," this office. 29 F

AN experienced Waitress, hotel, restaurant, club; excellent references.—M 438, this office. 30 A

EXCELLENT Cook, young, daily, hotel, restaurant, otherwise.—Conway, 7 Liffey street, Inchicore.

HOUSE Parlourmaid or Housemaid hotel or institution.—M 448, this office.

HOTEL, Club, and Restaurant Proprietors are invited to 'phone 5036, or write Matron, Irish Times Servants' Registry, Dublin, when requiring Officials or Staff. 9 X

STILLROOM Maid seeks place, Hotel; good references.—M 442, this office.

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

EXPERIENCED and competent Assistant required for Solicitor's Office.—M 296, this office. 28 A

LAW Clerk Wanted for large Country Office; draw ordinary costs and attend branch. Address "Z 1716, Clerk," this office. 28 C

WANTED by Dublin Solicitor, a competent Assistant; state experience, age, and salary expected. M 260, this office. 28 A

WANTED, competent Lady Bookkeeper, for Solicitor's Office. Reply, with copies, and state salary expected, M 487, this office.

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

CERTIFIED Nurse receives Maternity Patients, comfortable, private, moderate.—34 Shelbourne road, Dublin. 26 F

DENTAL Practice in South, takings over £2,000 per year, owner leaving country, would Rent same to responsible L.D.S. Address "Z 1768, Practice," this office. 29 B

DAILY superior mental Nurse, Attendant, disengaged; needlewoman; excellent references.—M 420, this office. 29 B

EXPERIENCED Assistant requires Full or Part Time, Dublin or suburbs; free middle October; energetic, capable; excellent testimonials; interview. Address "Z 1721, Assistant," this office. 28 A

GENTLEWOMAN—Trained Nurse desires permanent engagement; highest references.—353, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 30 C

IMPROVER, 3 years' experience all branches, desires position, city; recommended. Address "Z 1785, Improver," this office. 30 C

L.D.S. Wanted, manage Dental Practice, Sundays £4 and commission; 27 easily earned. Address "Z 1767, Manager," this office. 29 B

NURSE Companion disengaged; excellent references; elderly lady or gentleman; suburbs.—R O 499, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 27 F

NURSE Attendant and Housekeeper for elderly gentleman; R.C., domesticated; state where trained, experience, age and salary.—X 496, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 28 F

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PHARMACEUTICAL Licence—Students coming to Dublin for Lectures should attend Mr. Ray's Classes concurrently. Over 600 successes.—J. A. Ray, B.A., Ph.C., 34 South Frederick street. 29 A

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WANTED, Chemist (Qualified Lady) to take Sole Charge of Pharmacy in a small town. Address, with copies of testimonials, stating salary, "Z 1769, Chemist," this office. 29 A

WANTED, fully qualified Nurse, Private Nursing Home, Dublin. Address "Z 1790, Nurse," this office. 30 C

LOST AND FOUND.

ATTACHE Case Lost in Cork, or between Cork and Cobh, Tuesday last, containing letters, documents, etc. Reward if returned to Rev. Wm. T. Grey, 16 Harcourt street, Dublin.

FOUND in Irish Times Registry Office, 28th inst., small Parcel. Apply Matron. 29 F

LOST, a Gold Brooch on Friday, 23rd, between St. Joseph's Convent, Terenure, and Rathmines tram; £1 reward.—M 409, this office. 29 F

LOST, young Airedale Dog, vicinity Mount street or Ballsbridge. Reward, 3 Argyle road, Herbert Park.

£3 REWARD—Lost, on Wednesday afternoon, between Killiney and Dun Laoghaire, Gold Signet Ring, dated inside 11/4/1905. Loser was in train, tram, Pavilion, and on Vico road. Address "Z 1749, Ring," this office. 29 F

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APPRENTICE—Girl Wanted, Grocery and China; no fee; help housework (Protestant). Address "Z 1706, Girl," this office. 28 A

APPRENTICE—Smart Boy leaving school wanted to the China and Hardware trade; South suburbs.—M 431, this office.

ALL seeking employment, domestic, otherwise, invited to apply Matron, Registry, Irish Times. 28 B

A NOVEL One-Valve Circuit—See the Wireless Page of the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 27 F

BOY Wanted for errands and to assist in Warehouse; will be given opportunity to learn business; one leaving school would suit.—Arton, 50 Dawson street.

COUNTY Tipperary—Invalid Lady requires settled Lady Housekeeper (Protestant), take charge small house and one little girl; comfortable home, but small salary; servant kept. Address, stating age, salary expected, enclosing copies references, "Z 1841, Housekeeper," this office. 30 A

CHINA and Japan—The "Irish Times" Map in Colours, now on Sale, price 6d., post free 8d., from Head Office, 31 Westmoreland street, Dublin, and Branch Offices, 55 Marlborough street, Cork, and 139 Royal Avenue, Belfast. T

CROSS-WORD Puzzles—Cash prizes are offered for Solutions in the "Weekly Irish Times." On Sale to-day. Price twopence. 27 F

DRAPERY, Dress Department—Wanted, for a town in Connaught, a good, experienced Man to take charge; must be good at sales and keen buyer; send references, state salary, outdoor and indoor. Address "Z 1827, Man," this office. 30 C

EXPERIENCED Mother's Help (R.C.). Wanted, Dublin; youngest child 5 years; maid kept; state salary.—M 517, this office. 30 A

FACTORY—Wanted, respectable Youth, Apprentice or otherwise; state age, references.—M 483, this office.

FIREMAN—Steady Man required, Lancashire Boiler, forced draught; state age, references, wages.—M 484, this office.

GROCERY and Provisions—Manager (Protestant) required, good country town; must have experience in managing staff; enclose copies of references, state age and salary expected (outdoor). Address "Z 1734, Manager," this office. 28 A

GROCERY Apprentice Wanted, Protestant, Co. Cavan; small progressive salary paid to strong boy. Address "Z 1816, Apprentice," this office. 30 C

HARDWARE—Wanted, Junior Assistant, accustomed to good class country trade; good stockkeeper, steady, reliable young Man (none other need apply); state age, copies of testimonials, state age, religious persuasion, salary expected, indoor and outdoor. Address "Z 1840, Hardware," this office.

INVALID Lady requires Useful Companion Help, daily, South side, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; needlework; state salary.—M 435, this office. 29 F

INSURANCE Company require Junior Clerk (Male); state age, where educated, in own handwriting.—M 495, this office. 30 C

LINOTYPE Compositor, Provincial Jobbing Office; must have thorough mechanical knowledge; assist at case; permanent situation, good wages. Address "Z 1763, Compositor," this office. 29 A

NORTH Circular road—Advertisements for this Paper received by Mr. Lonergan, Newsagent and Confectioner, Ye Olde Tolle House, Phoenix Park Gate, North Circular road. X

ORGANIST required, male or female, capable of training mixed choir; good position; near Dublin. Address "Z 1772, Organist," this office. 29 X

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WANTED, Junior Male Clerk, with knowledge of shorthand and typewriting, for professional Office in Dublin. State age, experience, and salary required, to M 341, this office. 29 F

WANTED, confidential Secretary for Company; must have knowledge of Company Law; state age and qualifications.—M 343, this office. 29 B

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AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

A COMPETENT Outside Salesman desires position.—M 530, this office. 30 C

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims, Oral and Correspondence. Success list free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Gardiner's row, Dublin. T

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GOVERNESS disengaged; First Lessons, Music; highest references; morning hours.—1275, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

GOVERNESS, young, experienced, good references, desires Daily Position, teach or mind children.—M 518, this office. 30 A

LADY, widow, R.C., would receive one or two Boys to Board and educate with her own boy in healthy Dublin suburb; expert tuition by certificated teacher (lady), who specialises with backward pupils; clerical and medical references.—R O 496, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 27 F

LADY Diplomee desires Tuitions, French, Piano; term moderate.—M 300, this office. 28 A

NEEDLEWORK, Dressmaking, Embroidery Classes; Private Lessons.—Miss Smallman, 2 Victoria road, Rathgar. 26 F

NURSERY Governess or Mother's Help, disengaged soon; good needlewoman. Address "Z 1784, Governess," this office. 30 A

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, a half usual time; personal tuitions.—Murphy, 16 Annion Wer. 12 20

SECONDARY Teacher gives Tuitions, Mathematics and Irish; moderate.—M 501, this office. 28 A

THE only way to Learn a Foreign Language quickly and without drudgery is to go to Berlitz, 4 Grafton street. 30 C

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VIOLIN—Successful Lady Teacher, Licentiate London College; South side.—M 286, this office. 28 A

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ATTENDANTS, Helps, useful Maids, Nursery Governesses, Companions, seeking engagements should apply Matron, Registry, Irish Times. 27 A

NURSERY Governess Wanted for Glenageary; two girls, 8 years; good accent and sewing essential.—M 177, this office. 27 F

WANTED, Governess, I.C., for girl of 12 and boy of 9 years, country place; usual subjects. Salary, age, etc., to Mrs. McKeever, Elm Grove, Gormanston, Co. Meath. 29 B

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A WELL experienced Shorthand Typist desires post, city.—M 244, this office. 28 A

A LADY desires post, Companion Help or Governess, R.C.; highest references; wages £30. Address "Z 1811, Help," this office.

A PRIEST'S Housekeeper, experienced; highest testimonials. Apply 19 Parliament street. 30 A

A WIDOW, 2 children, R.C., would go Housekeeper, single gentleman or farmer (widower); country preferred. Address "Z 1799, Widow," this office.

A PROTESTANT trained Nurse, widow, middle age, desires post, Companion Housekeeper, to lady or gentleman; highest testimonials.—Box 1411, Irish Times Branch Office, Cork. 30 C

COMPANION—R.C. Lady, 30, well educated, domesticated, refined, care semi-invalid, England or Ireland; excellent references. Address "Z 1685, Companion," this office. 28 F

COMPANION Help, well recommended, would care elderly person, daily.—M 361, this office. 29 B

COMPANION or Lady Help; excellent references; musical, domesticated.—M 526, this office. 30 C

COMPANION Secretary—Refined, educated young Lady, 18, R.C., would go as above to Roman Catholic Lady; state salary, etc. Address "Z 1802, Lady," this office.

ENERGETIC Cellarman, or Wine Merchant's or Grocer's Porter; strict T.T.; highest reference.—M 467, this office. 30 A

EFFICIENT Shorthand Typist, R.C., several years' secretarial experience, wishes post; can drive car, willing, teach small children, adaptable; highest references. Address "Z 1826, Typist," this office.

GENTLEWOMAN, R.C., trained Secretary, domestic; unencumbered; liberal terms, required abroad; would manage house or educate children; highest references.—G 600, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 29 B

TUITIONS CONTINUED

GIRL (23) wishes post, Mother's Help, R.C.; four years' experience; good references; wages £1 15/- starting. Address "Z 1812 Girl," this office.

GENTLEMAN, giving up house, can highly recommend Housekeeper; suit bachelor or small family.—M 333, this office.

HOUSEKEEPER, middle aged, disengaged, seeks situation; good cook; highly recommended; reliable; business house or gentleman. Address "Z 1838, Housekeeper," this office.

LADY desires post, Companion Help or Housekeeper, R.C.; highest references. Address "Z 1652, Lady," this office. 27 F

LADY Cook Housekeeper, companionable, disengaged 5th November; high class cook, understands fowl; domesticated; references; interview Dublin. Address "Z 1764, Cook Housekeeper," this office. 29 F

LADY, with spare time, like some Light Work, few hours daily, Companion Help, or otherwise.—W 59, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

LADY (junior) Shorthand Typist desires position; first class certificates; small salary start.—M 512, this office.

LADY Bookkeeper Shorthand Typist, experienced; general assistant; good testimonials.—M 527, this office.

LADY thoroughly recommends superior Person, R.C., age 38, for post of Trust, Housekeeper, Matron, Nursing; experienced. Address "Z 1834, Housekeeper," this office.

NEEDLEWORK—Every kind, including Renovating, Mending, etc.; dressmaking excepted). Address "Z 1817, Needlework," this office. 30 A

PROTESTANT Companion Help; drive car; good pianist; city, suburbs; daily, otherwise; housekeep, plain cooking.—M 443, this office.

POST desired as Companion, Help; domesticated, experienced, excellent references, R.C. Address "Z 1831, Post," this office. 30 A

RENT Collector wants Property; competent man; repairs looked after.—M 97, this office. 27 F

REFINED Lady desires post, Lady's Companion or Companion Housekeeper, or any position of trust; moderate salary; excellent references. Address "Z 1715, Companion," this office. 28 A

RESPECTABLE Girl, 18, wishes position as Clerk; good typist and knowledge of shorthand.—M 387, this office. 29 B

ROOMS Papered, from 7/-; Painting, Distempering, etc.; moderate.—M 472, this office. 30 C

TYPIST, Shorthand, experienced, wants position.—M 544, this office. 29 B

WANTED, position as Assistant to General Hardware and Complete House Furnishing; 7½ years' experience; excellent references; moderate salary; not engaged at present.—H. Sherriff, Cootehill. 10 22

WELL educated youth (17), just left school, desires position as Junior Clerk in good commercial or insurance office.—M 424, this office. 29 B

WELL educated youth desires Apprenticeship to Motor and Electrical business in good firm; fee.—M 707, Irish Times Branch Office Kingstown. 29 B

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YOUNG, energetic ex-R.I.C. Pensioner seeks any position of trust; highest references.—M 250, this office. 28 A

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YOUNG Widow as Caretaker offices or flats, or Housekeeper where child (3) kept; good references.—M 439, this office. 30 A

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED Butler Wanted immediately, gentleman's house, Co. Tipperary.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 27 F

FARM Labourer Wanted, with working Son, able to milk and plough. Reply, stating age and copy references, "Z 1743, Labourer," this office. 29 B

GENERAL Farm Hand Wanted, used to horses, good ploughman, able to milk, married; wife to help milk; must be capable, willing and not afraid of work, with good references. Apply, stating wages expected, with cottage, turf and potatoes; steady job for right man; County Mayo. Address "Z 1760, Man," this office.

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CAPABLE Man seeks situation as Yardman; understands care of horses and willing to do housework if needed; long and satisfactory discharges. Address "Z 1711, Man," this office. 28 A

HERD, with two Sons able to assist; particulars.—Waldron, Finnstown House, Lucan. 28 A

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STUD Groom Wants situation, thoroughly understands Bloodstock; has son to help if required; can be highly recommended.—John Sexton, Clondalkin. 28 A

STUD Groom or Head Servant—Life-long, Honest, highly recommended. James Cleary, available after 20th October. Apply James Cleary, Ardenode, Brannockstown. 28 F

TWO Protestant young Men seek positions; can do garden and farm work; highly recommended. Address "Z 1808, Men," this office.

YOUNG General Indoor Man Servant, 3½ years' experience; excellent reference.—M 410, this office. 29 F

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EXPERIENCED Gardener, generally useful; milk, clean, motor; indoor; wages moderate; good home preferred; good references. Address "Z 1717, Gardener," this office. 28 A

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STEWARD, very highly recommended; thoroughly understands stock and crops, accurate bookkeeper; employer no longer farming. Apply Manager, Longueville, Mallow. 29 B

STEWARD, or Steward and Gardener—A first-rate man of wide experience offers his services; good testimonials for ability, character, and thorough knowledge of all branches. Full particulars from E. C. Alex. Dickson and Sons, Ltd., 61 Dawson street, Dublin. 30 C

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AN active woman, as Useful Help, small washing, comfortable house.—L. 18, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

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IRISH Lady requires capable Maid immediately; country girl preferred; fare refunded. Send all particulars and wages expected, Mrs. Powell, Muirkins, Easthampstead, Berkshire.

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GOOD Cook and House Parlourmaid required; sisters or friends would suit; send copies.—Miss Mitchell Henry, Bunnaboghee, Letterfrack, Co. Galway. 30 C

WANTED, near Clonmel, experienced Dairymaid, milk, good butter maker.—Wild's Agency, Marlfield, Clonmel. 27 F

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CAPABLE young General Wanted; all duties; family two, non basement house, Palmerston road vicinity.—R O 495, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 27 F

CAPABLE smart General Wanted, plain cooking, small washing; Kingstown.—S 31, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

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WANTED Housemaid for good place; two in family; two other maids kept.—1267, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 27 F

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GIRL Wanted to train, Kitchenmaid; must be strong and know how to milk if required. Reply, stating age and copy reference, "Z 1742, Girl," this office. 29 B

WANTED, in October, good, strong Kitchenmaid, some experience; good wages. State age and send copies, to Mrs. Goodbody, Inchmore, Clara. 27 F

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A NUMBER well recommended, excellent Cooks, city, country, £35-£50; Cook Generals, Working Housekeepers, Generals and Daily Workers.—Matron, Registry, Irish Times. 28 A

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A GOOD Cook, R.C., requires situation, gentleman's family; excellent papers. Address "Z 1665, Cook," this office. 27 A

EXPERIENCED young Cook General, highly recommended, seeks position, Dalkey, Killiney districts. Address "Z 1792, Cook," this office. 30 A

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PROTESTANT Girl, train Cook; great taste for cooking; recommended.—M 445, this office. 30 A

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SETTLED Cook Housekeeper to gentleman or small family; highly recommended, long experience; city or suburbs.—M 137, this office. 27 F

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A YOUNG country girl wants post as General; good references. Address "Z 1751, General," this office. 29 B

EXPERIENCED General seeks situation, city or suburbs; interview.—M 376, this office. 29 B

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GENERAL to Train; highly recommended; state particulars.—Glenageo Lodge, Howth road, Clontarf. 28 A

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DISENGAGED, highly recommended Infant Nurses, good with backward babies; other experienced Maids.—Domestic Bureau, 15 Cook street, Cork. 28 A

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ATTRACTIVE detached House, "St. Finns," Sandford road; house for garage; rent £7, valuation £30; £1,750. 28 X

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BATTERSBY and Co. will Sell by Auction Thursday, 6th October, 32, Morehampton road, Donnybrook; possession; attractive, well built House on favourite road. Apply 39 Westmoreland street. 28 B

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BATTERSBY and Co. offer, South City, semi-detached House; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, bathroom, E. light, large garden, garage (2 cars). 28 F

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HOUSE to Sell on Palmerston road, with immediate possession; rent £6, long lease, price £850.—Gerald Byrne and Co., Solicitors, 7 Lower Ormond quay. 27 F

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VACANT five roomed Houses for Sale, newly decorated; £420; Leinster place, Rathmines. Keys No. 12. 28 A

4 OVOCA road, South Circular road—For Sale, with possession, a well-built two storey House, in good repair, containing 7 apartments, lavatory, bathroom and scullery; garden front and rear; convenient to tram and churches; price reasonable.

6 CONNAUGHT street—Choice modern Residence, ideal position; 8 apartments, bath, electricity, gas, garage. 29 B

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DUNDRUM (two miles), 'bus passes—Desirable House, £90 free; five bedrooms.—Arthur Jones, Son, 22 Andrew street. 27 F

FURNISHED Bungalow to Let, for three months, standing in own grounds, 6 miles Pillar, close rail and 'bus; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, etc., garage; £14 per month.—M 109, this office. 26 F

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HOUSE to Let, Croydon Park, best position. What offers for Interest?—M 297, this office. 28 A

HOUSE to Let or Sell newly decorated and painted; 2 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, bath (hot and cold), kitchen, breakfast parlour.—30 Grosvenor road, Rathmines. Seen 3 to 4 p.m. 28 A

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SMALL Furnished House to Let; rent moderate; 1d. stage from city.—M 345, this office. 29 F

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GOOD Rent given for large or small House, Rathgar district; careful, reliable.—M 412, this office. 29 B

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UNFURNISHED House required, £60 to £80, good tenant; would Purchase, £200 cash, balance by instalments.—M 302, this office. 28 A

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WANTED to Buy, Modern, non-basement House, Pembroke or Donnybrook district; £600 or £800.—M 277, this office. 28 X

£100 DOWN, balance £100 yearly, offered for medium sized House, good locality.—M 471, this office.

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

APARTMENTS Agency—Lists on application; Flats, Board Residence, Furnished Apartments.—Miss White, 26 Nassau street. T

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AT Auburn House, Herbert street—Select Board Residence; visitors or permanent. 8 26

AT 117 Upper Leeson street—Comfortable, homely Apartments; full Board 30/-; 1½d. fare Pillar. 26 F

ATTRACTIVE Unfurnished Flat; three rooms, bathroom, kitchenette—7 Upper Fitzgibbon street. 28 F

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A NICE Bedroom (2 beds), with use of Sittingroom, and attendance; suit ladies dining out; terms moderate.—59 Highfield road, Rathgar. 28 A

AT 64 Lower Baggot street—Drawingroom, Bedroom Furnished, with kitchenette, or combined Bed-Sittingroom; select. 29 B

AT 7 Pembroke road—Select business Gentlemen can have nicely Furnished Bedroom, moderate. 29 B

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AT Ayoca House, 52 Harcourt street—One large Room; suit two or three friends; select house and catering. 29 B

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AIRY, well furnished Bed-Sittingroom, in lady's house, south side, good locality; would suit lady or gentleman dining out; very comfortable; no other lodgers.—M 505, this office.

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COMFORTABLE Unfurnished Basement Room, use kitchen, gas, two adults.—M 497, this office. 30 A

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DRAWINGROOM Flat to Let, partly furnished. Apply 40 Rathmines road.

FLAT to Let, Unfurnished, four large, airy apartments.—19 Pembroke road. 27 F

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FURNISHED Flat to Let, three or four rooms.—20 Belgrave square, Rathmines. 29 B

FURNISHED Flat, bath, garden, separate meter; adults; moderate.—45 South Circular road, Portobello. 29 B

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FLATS to Let, Unfurnished, 55 York street, private house; no young children; rents 15/- to 18/- weekly. 30 C

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NICE Home, in Co. Dublin Mansion; large rooms, well Furnished; telephone, garages, stables; 15 minutes' run from city; suit business or other gentlemen.—M 358, this office. 29 F

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ONE or two Gentlemen can have nice Bedroom and private Sittingroom, every convenience, electric light and bath; no other boarders kept; vicinity Leeson Park; terms moderate.—M 248, this office. 23 A

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PRIVATE, comfortable Home—Front Bed-Sittingroom offered to Gent. requiring partial board; Drumcondra.—M 492, this office. 30 C

RATHMINES—Let, Furnished Sittingroom, two Bedrooms, attendance; most comfortable.—M 363, this office. 29 B

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ROOMS to suit one or two gentlemen; partial Board.—60 Rathgar road.

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TO Let—Hall Flat, Furnished, every convenience; accommodation for car.—M 186, this office. 27 F

TO Let, Unfurnished Flat, all conveniences.—37 Upper Mount street. 28 A

TWO ladies living in Brighton square, Rathgar, have nice partly furnished Flat to Let, suitable married couple, or business girls; terms moderate; can be seen by appointment.—M 510, this office. 30 C

TO Let, Furnished Flat, 8 Upper Pembroke street. Enquire 4 Upper Pembroke street. 30 C

TWO or three Gentlemen can have comfortable Apartments, vicinity Rathmines; partial board; 22/6 each.—M 462, this office. 29 B

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UNFURNISHED Flat, containing 4 rooms, second and third floors, Lower Abbey street.—M 275, this office. 28 A

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UNFURNISHED Hall Flat—Sittingroom, two bedrooms, kitchen, bath, electric light; 25/- suitable family; Kenilworth Park.—M 401, this office. 29 B

WELL Furnished Flat in Private House, York road, Rathmines; two rooms, use kitchen cooker on separate meter.—M 537, this office.

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10 FITZWILLIAM square—Attractive Accommodation, partial board, late dinner, good attendance; moderate. 30 C

18 PEMBROKE road—Superiorly Furnished Bed and Sitting Rooms, electric light, bath. 29 B

19 LOWER Pembroke street—Apartments offered, single, with Board, full or partial. 28 A

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A LADY requires nice Apartments, attendance, permanent if suitable; Pembroke township preferred, or Monkstown; terms.—M 519, this office.

BUSINESS Girl requires Single Room, partial board, use of sittingroom; state terms; near city, South side.—M 218, this office. 27 F

BUSINESS Man requires comfortable Bedroom, Partial Board, South suburbs; private house preferred.—M 322, this office. 29 F

COMFORTABLE Front Combined Room required, Rathmines; good cooking, cleanliness; lady; references exchanged.—R. O. 504, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

COMFORTABLE Lodgings required by lady dining out, Bedroom, use sittingroom; state price.—M 513, this office. 29 F

GENTLEMAN wants Bedroom and Sittingroom, whole or partial board; permanent; please mention terms.—M 489, this office. 30 C

LADY (Protestant) requires front combined Room, good locality, bath, attendance; permanent, moderate.—M 115, this office. 27 F

LADY wants Furnished Sittingroom and Bedroom, adjoining (permanent), Pembroke or Lower Baggot street. Reply, stating terms, M 463, this office.

LADY requires combined Room, kitchenette. South side; moderate.—M 485, this office. 30 C

LADY, Civil Servant, requires nice Bed Sittingroom, with use Diningroom, from 1st November; Rathbride district or South side.—M 536, this office. 30 A

LADY requires bright Bedroom, use sittingroom, select, some attendance; terms.—M 523, this office.

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REQUIRED for elderly lady (delicate) Comfortable House, with care and attention, Rathmines, near trams.—M 511, this office. 30 A

SELF Contained Furnished Flat required by gentlemen; 2 bedrooms; state terms.—M 540, this office.

THREE Unfurnished Rooms, Kitchenette, use bathroom Wanted, good locality, rent under £50, for two Protestant ladies.—R O 497, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 27 F

TWO Sisters require Room and attendance, or full Board, South side; state lowest terms; permanent. Address "Z 1813, Apartments," this office.

WANTED, Flat, 2-3 rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, £2-£2 10/-; suburbs and coast townships.—M 391, this office. 29 F

WANTED, Sittingroom, large Bedroom (two beds), kitchenette; slight attendance, linen; £3 month; good locality, South side.—M 533, this office. 30 A

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

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ATHASSEL, Burnaby road, Greystones, to Let, for winter months; furnished, every modern convenience. Apply Hanna, 16 Elgin road, Ballsbridge. 28 A

A 7 roomed Furnished or partly Furnished House to be Let, in the town of Swords, until May next, with garage, yard and garden; low rent for the winter; good 'bus service. Address "Z 1819, House," this office.

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BRAY, winter months—Well Furnished Cottage, semi detached own grounds, every modern convenience; 15 minutes sea, rail.—455, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray. 28 A

BRAY—Furnished Cottage, £4 a month.—Room 4, 10 Nassau street.

BRAY—Advertisements for "Irish Times" will be received by Miss McCann, 96 Main street, Bray. X

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COMFORTABLE four roomed Furnished Cottage to Let, Howth Summit; reasonable; view, appointment only.—Stock. 30 C

DELGANY, detached, 1 acre, furnished, 5 roomed, bath, garage, £100 year.—Arthur Jones, Sons, 22 Andrew street. 28 A

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HOWTH Summit—Thormanby Cottage, 6 rooms, cold bath; moderate, winter months.

HOUSE required, Rent, radius 10 miles Dublin; Furnished, Unfurnished, stables, garden.—M 490, this office.

HOWTH—Furnished House to Let, winter months, from October; two reception, four bedrooms and servant's room, bath, h. and c. water (Vartry), garage, telephone, good garden. Apply Lumsden, Roslyn, Howth. 19 X

KILLINEY (ideal position)—Three reception rooms, five bedrooms, garden, garage, to Let, in Exchange for Tenancy of suitable House, Pembroke, Blackrock, or Dun Laoghaire Townships.—M 275, this office. 28 A

KILLINEY—Comfortable, well Furnished House to Let for six months or longer; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms and maid's; every convenience; near train; moderate rent to careful tenant. Address "Z 1723, House," this office. 28 A

MALAHIDE—Furnished 4 roomed House to Let, till end of May. Address "Z 1710, House," this office. 28 A

MALAHIDE—Small Furnished Cottage to Let, suit couple; gas, water.—M 406, this office. 29 B

TO Let, Furnished, for 3 months, from 1st December, small semi detached Bungalow House, Sandycove, convenient tram and train; electric light, gas, bath, h. and c., geyser, good garden; low rent to careful tenants; no children.—M 383, this office. 29 F

TO Let, Tully Lodge, Furnished, Louisburgh, County Mayo, shooting and fishing, Bunowen and Carrowniskey Rivers, for season. Apply F. J. Joyce, Auctioneer, Westport. 16 X

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APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

A VERY good over ground Basement Flat to Let, moderate; Sandycove.—A. F., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 30 C

BLACKROCK (near tram)—Furnished Flat to Let, Merrion avenue.—M 171, this office. 27 F

BLACKROCK—Lady has nice Furnished Flat, 3 rooms, gas cooker.—M 502, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

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GREYHOUND RACING AND MORALS.

PROPOSED NEW TRACK AT HAROLD'S CROSS.

RATHMINES COUNCIL PROTESTS.

A special meeting of the Rathmines Urban District Council was held yesterday morning "with reference to plans and the taking over of the Orchards, Harold's Cross, for proposed greyhound racing track." There was a good attendance of members, over which the Chairman, Sir Simon Maddock, D.L., presided. About ten members of the general public were present.

The Chairman said that the meeting had been called to consider the Council's jurisdiction as regards the proposal to promote a sports ground and greyhound racing track at Harold's Cross. Some time ago the site in question had been purchased by him in order to lease it for building purposes, and it would be remembered that a house, part of the property, had been demolished. The Council had very kindly facilitated him in providing alternative accommodation for the tenants, whilst he (Sir Simon) had generously compensated the tenant.

Although the site had been very extensively advertised, the few builders who had replied declined to build, as the Council, unlike other municipal authorities, made no grants for building. A syndicate had now purchased the property, and plans had been lodged with the Council for the necessary structures to carry on a sports ground and greyhound racing track. A representative of the syndicate had informed him that they had received legal advice to the effect that, if their plans and specifications were in accordance with the Council's by-laws, they must be approved of. He (Sir Simon) was in favour of the project, as it would mean immediate employment very badly needed by a large number of men. He thought that, to put things in order, if someone proposed and seconded a resolution, it would be the proper way. It might be interesting to the Council to know that the Building Committee that morning found that the plans were in accordance with the by-laws and had passed them. The matter would come before the Council next Wednesday.

OBJECTIONS TO THE PROJECT.

Mr. O'Reilly said that he felt that he had no alternative but to approve of the plans, as the engineer was satisfied; but any further than that he would not go. He objected to the site being used for such a purpose.

The Chairman said that a number of letters had been received, some for the project and some against.

Mrs. Kettle said that she was not a member of the Housing Committee, and she, therefore, sought information. She understood that their powers were limited. If the Council disapproved of the project, what were the Council's powers in the matter?

The Clerk said that the Council had certain by-laws made in accordance with the provisions of the Acts of Parliament in force. These by-laws were very comprehensive with regard to building. When plans were lodged they should be approved by the Council within one month, and, so long as the plans submitted were in accordance with the by-laws, he was unable to find any statutory provision enabling the Council to prohibit the building. The particular plans before them that morning, and which were before the Housing Committee last week, were for the establishment of a greyhound racing course at Harold's Cross, and were reported on by the Surveyor. At the previous meeting, members of the Committee desired to be satisfied on certain points, and they postponed consideration of the matter from last Thursday until that morning for the purpose of getting a report from the Surveyor on three points—(1) Conformity with the bye-laws; (2) stability of the stand, and (3) sufficiency of exits. That morning the Surveyor reported that, as the buildings were not to be used for human habitation they were in compliance with the bye-laws. He was satisfied as to the stability of the stand, but he would insist that it would be severely tested before allowing it to be used by the public; and, in his opinion, the exits were ample. The Building Committee met that morning, and came to the conclusion that they were not in a position to raise any objection to these bye-laws on the vital points in connection with which the Council had power, and they recorded that as a minute to come before the Council next Wednesday. The Surveyor's report having been read, and the plans approved as being in accordance with the bye-laws, that was as far as the Housing Committee could go.

PETITION SIGNED BY 900 RESIDENTS.

On the other question—the undesirability or otherwise of such an undertaking in the district—he could find no statutory authority for the Council to prohibit it. He understood that that was a matter for any individual in the locality who might feel aggrieved, and, of course, there was another procedure governing these matters. He had a letter from Mr. Devoy, of 7 Tivoli avenue, forwarding a memorial signed by between 900 and 1,000 persons in favour of the project. He also had letters against it.

Mrs. Johnson—How many protest against it?

Clerk—Seventeen.

Mrs. Kettle asked the Clerk if a licence was required, or if there was any authority above the Council who could be appealed to if the project was considered undesirable by the majority of the Council.

The Clerk said that he was not an authority, but he understood that if they wanted to sell intoxicating refreshments at the bar they should apply for a licence, but he did not think they would require a licence for the particular business of greyhound racing.

Mr. Barry rose to speak when

The Chairman said that they ought to have a resolution.

Mr. Barry said that the matter was now open to debate.

Chairman—I do not want to dominate the meeting at all, but why not have a resolution instead of a desultory conversation?

Mr. Barry—I want to-day to go into this matter.

The Chairman asked what the procedure was?

The Clerk said that the procedure was to speak to a resolution.

Mrs. Johnson said that she would like some information. She understood that the Chairman was authorised by the Council to buy the land for them. She never had any information as to why he did not buy it. If it was considered suitable for building sites, she would like to know definitely why the Council's offer was turned down, and the land bought by somebody else?

Chairman—I will ask the Clerk to answer that.

The Clerk said that on more than one occasion the suggestion was before the Council that it should be bought, but the Council never definitely decided to purchase it. They gave Sir Simon Maddock instructions to negotiate, and he reported to the Council, but ultimately the Council did not agree to purchase it.

Chairman—I was offered this ground, and I offered it to the Council. I offered to buy it at as low a price as possible. I told the Council what the man wanted, and what price we ought to go to. It came before the Council, and they were divided about it. One section wanted it for a public park and another for workingmen's dwellings. On further inquiry I found that there were 18 acres of land at Kimmage which the Council could use for building, and the Council would not buy this site at Harold's Cross. Then I bought it myself.

Mr. Healy asked for a report from the Clerk as to what happened in connection with the matter.

The Clerk said that what Mr. Healy wanted to know could be settled in two minutes by one of his clerks bringing up the minute book. He deprecated the raising of a number of questions on one minute. They could discuss the whole question on a resolution.

PROTESTS BY RELIGIOUS BODIES.

Mrs. Kettle said that in a matter of procedure she agreed that there should be a resolution, so that they might discuss the subject. But, first of all, she understood that a very important body had asked that a deputation be received. She did not know if they were waiting, but if they were she suggested that the deputation be received, and then, if there was no resolution forthcoming, she would propose one.

The Clerk said that the deputation (the Vestrymen of Harold's Cross Parish) was not present.

Mrs. Kettle said that, as far as the project went, she agreed with the Chairman. She remembered the late Countess Markievicz paying a tribute to the Chairman when he brought the matter forward, but there were a great many difficulties in the way. The Council were anxious to buy the land, but they had very little money available, and there was a lot of their land at Kimmage which was not developed. Finally, it was understood that if the Chairman acquired the land, they would be quite pleased, in order to build houses.

Chairman—Quite right, and we could not get people to build on it.

The Clerk then read a letter from the Rev. C. C. W. Duggan, B.D., Rector of Harold's Cross, enclosing a resolution (already published) of the Select Vestry, objecting to the proposed project of greyhound racing, and also registering his own protest against the proposal.

The Clerk also read a letter from the Presbytery, Rathmines, objecting to the project. It was signed by the Rev. Richard Fleming, P.P.; the Rev. L. M. Kinsella, C.C.; the Rev. J. H. McMahon, C.C.; the Rev. John Cotter, C.C., and the Rev. Patrick McDonnell, C.C.

The Rev. Father Fleming also wrote that he was authorised by the Mother Abbess of the Poor Clares, and by the Superioress of the Hospice for the Dying, Harold's Cross, to protest against the project, which, in the immediate vicinity, would constitute a serious nuisance.

The Rev. Mr. Duggan also asked that a deputation from the Vestry be received.

Mr. Barry moved:—"That this Council strongly protests against the use of any land, suitable for building or recreation for the people of the township, being appropriated for such a purpose as greyhound racing at The Orchards, Harold's Cross." As one of the Housing Committee, he had gone into the matter carefully. This land was offered to the Housing Committee, and it came before the Council, and the majority of the Council thought that the land was cheap at the price offered. The chairman had received the offer from the lady in England who owned the land, and they gave him full instructions and power to buy the land for the Council. Negotiations were taking place for months, and Sir Simon came back to the Council and said that they wanted another £50, and so on, and it was put off from month to month, and Sir Simon told them in Committee that he was getting "fed up" with it. Plans were prepared for the building of houses there. He had those plans at home. Then Sir Simon said one day to the Council, "I have wiped my hands out of it; you can do what you like."

No further news was heard of it until, at a Housing Committee meeting, Countess Markievicz and himself asked questions about the orchard site, and they were astounded when they were told by Sir Simon Maddock: "I have purchased it myself. With Mr. Bradlaw, I am now going to start building houses on it to help the unemployed." They did not care who got it, so long as it was used for building. He confronted Sir Simon as Chairman of the Council, in reference to the project about greyhound racing. Sir Simon said that he knew nothing about it.

NO MONEY TO BUILD HOUSES.

Mrs. Mulvey said that she was present at the meeting of the Housing Committee referred to, and Mr. Sibthorpe (the Chairman) said that they had no money, and could not build houses at Harold's Cross.

Mr. Barry asked was it right for the Council on Thursday last to pass these plans at a moment's notice, though it affected the well being of the Council from a moral point of view? He had been approached by the unemployed about this matter, and he also wished to refer to the moral point of view. He would speak about the hell which had been placed in their neighbouring township of Pembroke. Three times a week they had 14,000 or 15,000 going to the greyhound racing there, and about 7,000 of these were youths under 21 years of age. As a father, he looked upon it from the moral point of view. It was up to the Council not to think of the few men who were going to get rich on this, but to think of the rising generation. The poor people of Ringsend were "going to the dogs." (Laughter). The temptation was there. He had been approached by the Hospice for the Dying, who protested against this project being carried out in their vicinity.

Mr. O'Reilly—I totally object to the site being used for greyhound racing. I beg to second the motion.

Mr. D. Hayes said that he thought they should have the whole of the correspondence and minutes dealing with this matter before them. Now that the plans were suitable, he thought that these people could use the lands for any purpose they liked, and if people wanted to object they would have to proceed by injunction.

Mr. O'Reilly said that it was stated that they had not money to build houses at Harold's Cross, and that they had lands available at Kimmage.

Chairman—You might have said that before now.

Mrs. Kettle said that it appeared that the plans were in accordance with the bye-laws and that they should pass them. She was anxious to know if there was a volume of opinion against the project; and, if the majority of the Council was against the project, was there no way in which their opinion could be enforced against what would appear to be an undesirable project in that particular neighbourhood? She understood that there was some way out of it, and she thought that that meeting should express its opinion. She joined in the protest against this scheme on the grounds that there was a deplorable lack of housing accommodation in the district, and that the giving of grounds such as the Orchards for greyhound racing was extremely undesirable, while houses were needed. She deprecated the tone of Mr. Barry's speech.

THE CHAIRMAN'S RIGHTS.

On the question of the purchase of the Orchards, it was discussed there for some time, and the Council were anxious to purchase it, but they had not the money, and they decided to drop it. The Chairman was entitled to purchase it—that was as clear as daylight to her. But there was one matter in which the Chairman was not very straightforward—and she said that frankly—with the Council. When the Council was not able to buy the land, he said that he had bought it and was going to use it for building purposes. He asked that an old house on the site be demolished, and he asked the Council to accommodate the tenant of the house in one of their houses in Kimmage. That privilege was given because it was understood that artisans' dwellings would be erected on the Orchards, and the tenant was accommodated at Kimmage, though they had a long list of applicants looking for the Kimmage houses, which were given to people with large families. She did not know if this man had a family at all or not, but he was accommodated in front of all these people. The Chairman was, of course, entitled to sell the land to any one he liked, but if he found that he could not sell it for a building site he should have come to the Council and said "I cannot sell the land, and I should not have accommodated that tenant in a house on grounds which are not satisfactory." That was where she thought he was wrong.

She thought that they ought to take into account that this was a residential area. There were two convents in the same area, and such a thing as a greyhound racing track would be highly undesirable in the vicinity of these communities. She was not a "kill-joy" in any way, and she did not set up to be a critic at all, but she thought that their racing proclivities were amply catered for, and that there was no necessity for taking a place at Harold's Cross as a racing track. It would be very undesirable, and she thought that they ought to consider the very important opinions that had been submitted in letters to the Council, and if they could do nothing further she thought that it was their duty to express their disapproval of the project.

Miss Ffrench Mullen also objected to the project.

Mr. Healy endorsed what Mrs. Kettle had said. The Hospice for the Dying was on the other side of the road from the Orchards, and it would be very undesirable to have the noise and shouting which would, of course, arise from such meetings. He thought that they ought to have official documents in connection with this transaction.

MRS. JOHNSON ON SPORT.

Mrs. Johnson said that she evidently had not heard the report which the chairman had made to the Council on the matter. No racing was sport at the present time, and no football match was sport, not even the games carried out in Croke Park under the G.A.A. They were all opportunities for people to make money who were doing nothing. If it was real sport, one could excuse it, but it was not real sport. She was talking to a gentleman the other night who was at Shelbourne Park, and he gave a penny to a blind man because, he said, that he had made £2 on the dogs. (Laughter.)

Chairman—I have a letter from the Hospice at Harold's Cross asking me to give men employment in connection with these sports grounds. That shows some of the opposition. It was my intention to build houses there. I advertised it extensively and got tenders from five people, but none of them would build because they would not get a grant from Rathmines Council. I could not keep the place on hands and pay rent for it. It was only three weeks ago that it was sold.

Mrs. Johnson proposed as an amendment that the matter be deferred until they had heard the views of the deputations on the matter, and also until they had a statement prepared by the clerk and circulated showing what had taken place in connection with the matter.

Mrs. Kettle asked if she would be in order in proposing a further amendment.

The Chairman said that she would.

Mrs. Kettle then proposed:—"That this Council disapproves of the laying-out of the ground known as The Orchards, Harold's Cross, as a greyhound racing track, and while they are compelled to pass the plans as they are in conformity with the by-laws, they feel constrained to register their protest against the desirability of the project."

Mr. Barry and Mr. O'Reilly then withdrew the original resolution, and Mrs. Kettle's amendment was carried by 7 votes to 3, the chairman not voting.

Mrs. Johnson then handed in the following amendment, which she proposed:—"That a statement be prepared by the clerk and circulated to the members. This statement to be the minutes of the Housing Committee and Council dealing with the offer for purchase of The Orchards, Harold's Cross."

Mr. Hayes seconded the amendment, which was passed.

The meeting ended after a sitting which lasted two hours.

DISBANDED R.I.C.

A meeting of the committee of the disbanded Royal Irish Constabulary was held at 20 Kildare street, Dublin, on Thursday night. A draft copy of a circular letter was drawn up for circulation among all ex-members, and the secretary was directed to get in touch with all ex-members and arrange for a general meeting in a fortnight's time.

After nearly fifty years' work in Fleet street, London, with the Press Association, Mr. R. C. Armstrong, of the managerial department, retired yesterday, and was presented by his colleagues with a wireless set and a loud speaker. Mrs. Armstrong was given a pair of silver photograph frames.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN UNSETTLED.

GUINNESS OVER LOWEST.

The outstanding features on 'Change yesterday were the support offered for Government Stocks, mainly British Funds, and the further fluctuating fall in Guinness Ordinary Shares on a continuance of sale pressure by bankers and other inland holders. The enormous extent of the depreciation in these shares from practically 80 to 42½ on a capital of £7,500,000 in £10 shares can be appreciated, and what is more disconcerting, on the other hand, is that the market value of all other Brewery Shares, especially the big firms in London and Burton, have been continually rising in value during the past two years. Before the earlier market closed the price rallied to 42¾, while at the later session a further slight recovery to 42¾, 43 was brought about, while the Pref. closed again at a higher price, without any business being done.

Government National Loan was wanted, and Compensation Stock was harder. Further gains were established in British Funds on further persistent support, and the market was active and good. Bank of Ireland Stock was again bid for, and closed higher. Nationals were still held for 21, but buyers still desired to get in at 20¾. British and Irish Steam Pref. closed firm. Marconi Shares were idle, but closed steady. Home Railways weakened nearly all round. Great Northern Guaranteed slumped a further 2 points on last marking, and the Debs. were pressed back half a point. Great Southern Ord., Pref., and Debs. gave way, but the Guaranteed rose to 52. Alliance Gas further improved. Considerable dealing took place in Courtaulds, which, after a dull opening at 142s. 9d., rose later to 144s. 6d., and closed 143s. 9d. Coats was a shade better on the vague reports that some of the company's mills had been changed over to make artificial silk thread to meet the wants of the trade. Dunlop Rubber, after opening dull and lower, finally recovered lost ground. Imperial Chemical Deferred slipped further to 8s. 1d., but the Ord. were rather harder. Vickers were bid up to 11s. 7¼d. or 4½d. higher. Shell Transports fell sharply, and British Celanese Ord. relapsed 3s. to 96s., while Snia Viscosa and Bransdom quoted higher.

LONDON IRREGULAR.

MEXICAN RAILS RISING.

A somewhat irregular tendency ruled in the London Stock markets as a whole yesterday, while the volume of business put through continued on a small scale. There were, however, several active features in the Industrial sections, while Oils and British Funds were firmer. Dealings in the latter were at no time on an active scale, but a firmer tendency was apparent and the few changes recorded were favourable to holders. Little of interest transpired in Foreign Government Stocks. Principal interest in Home Rails continued to centre round Underground Income Bonds and a higher level was reached. Among Colonial and Foreign Rails, Mexican Rails continued firm.

In the Industrial markets, Artsilks made a rather irregular showing. British Celanese, after being firmer, went off again, but Snias and Courtaulds were strong spots. Tobaccos were easier, but Match issues were firm in strength. Marconis went higher, while Dunlops were steady. Among Breweries, Guinness were again easier. Rubbers were a heavy market, and a number of substantial losses were shown at the close. Oils, on the other hand, made a better showing. Tin reacted and closed £1 per ton lower, but the share market preserved a steady tone.

NEW COTTON SCHEME.

Steps are to be taken immediately to put into operation the new scheme agreed upon by representatives of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners' Association and the Cotton Yarn Association. At a largely attended meeting of the American section of the Federation Joint Committee, held in Manchester yesterday, the full report of the five days' negotiations of the Joint Committee was presented by the President of the Association, Mr. Fred Holroyd. The report and the recommendation from the joint conference were unanimously approved, and the agreement ratified. The Federation immediately afterwards issued to members a scheme of minimum selling prices for yarns, which will come into operation on Monday. A ballot to be taken at once on the proposal to sectionise the American branch of the trade for short-time purposes.

BASS RATCLIFFE DECISION.

At yesterday's extraordinary general meeting of Bass, Ratcliff and Gretton, the well-known brewers, the shareholders agreed to the proposal of the directors to borrow a sum not exceeding £3,000,000. It was also announced that £2,500,000 of Debenture stock will be issued next week. The proceeds will be used for purchasing the business and licensed properties of Thomas Salt and Co. and its subsidiaries, for repaying loans arranged in connection with the acquisition of Ordinary shares of Worthington and Co., and for the general purposes of the company.

NARAGUTA TIN MINES.

A circular to shareholders of Naraguta (Nigeria) Tin Mines, Ltd., states that, as they are aware, a considerable profit has accrued on capital account by the sale of the Korot, Karama and Sho areas. The directors have given consideration to the question of affording shareholders some immediate benefit from the large capital profit which has been earned, and they have decided to recommend a capital bonus distribution of 20 per cent., and that the bonus be satisfied by the creation and issue *pro rata* to the shareholders and holders of share warrants to bearer of 6 per cent. notes. It is anticipated that the annual interest and redemption fund contribution in respect of the 6% notes will be more than covered by dividends the company will be entitled to receive from its holding of Korot and Karama shares. To enable the bonus to be paid certain additions and the opportunity is being taken of bringing the entire articles up to date. To this end an extraordinary general meeting is to be held at Winchester House, London, E.C., on October 19th, 1927, when an extraordinary resolution to adopt new articles will be submitted.

COMPANY NOTICES.

NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the PROPRIETORS of the STOCK of the NORTHERN BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, SCOTTISH PROVIDENT BUILDINGS, DONEGALL SQUARE WEST, BELFAST, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of OCTOBER, instant, at TWELVE o'clock noon, to receive the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st August, 1927, and Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be brought before them.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held on same day, at same place, at 12.30 o'clock, to consider and, if approved, pass an Extraordinary Resolution to alter the Regulations of the Company to give power to establish a Register of Shareholders in and other powers in connection with the business in the Irish Free State, of which due notice will be given to the Proprietors.

By Order, MARCUS B. MATHEWS, Secretary.

Northern Banking Company, Limited.
Belfast, 21st October, 1927.

The Stock Exchange.

Members of the Stock Exchange are not allowed to advertise for Business purposes or to issue circulars or business communications to others than their own Principals.

Persons therefore who advertise as brokers or share dealers are not members of the Stock Exchange, or in any way under the control of the Committee.

A list of Brokers who are Members may be seen at the Bank of England Stock Transfer Offices, Finsbury Circus, or obtained on application to Secretary at the Committee Room, THE STOCK EXCHANGE, E.C.2, from whom can also be obtained information as to Rules of Committee.

LONDON CHANGES.

Dealings in British Funds were again on a rather small scale. War Loan Fives and Consols 4 per cent. both gained ¼.

The volume of business transacted in the Foreign Government Stock market was also on a small scale. Thus French Loan Fives at 154 were ¼ easier, while the Fours lost a similar amount to 124. Japanese 6 per cent., 1924, stiffened ½ to 96½. Peruvian Corporations were steady, but among Chinese the 5 per cent., 1912, were quoted ex dividend at 40½.

RAILS GOOD.

Home Rails experienced another extremely quiet session. Underground Income Bonds were again the feature and a higher level was reached. North Eastern 5 per cent. Preferred Ordinary, on the other hand, went back to 38½, or ¼ easier, while the Deferred Ordinary dropped ¼ to 16. Southerns were another dull spot, the Preferred Ordinary at 70 and the Deferred Ordinary at 37 both showing the loss of ½ on the day. In Colonial and Foreign Rails, Mexican continued a strong feature and further advances were scored, the Ordinary rising ¼ to 8, while the 5 per cent 1899 was only a moderate scale, but the shares recovered ½ to 4¾, the Bearer being up to a like extent at 4¼, while the 7 p.c. Prefs. were another strong market, the final value being 3 points up at 102, while among Buenos Ayres issues, the Pacifics at 95 showed an improvement of ¼. Bahia Blancas Guaranteed Stock at 61 and Central Argentine Ordinary Stock at 61 were also both ½ to the good, while Entre Rios 5 per cent. Cumulative Preference gained a like amount to 93¼. Leopoldinas and United Havanas, on the other hand, were each ½ easier to 52 and 76 respectively.

RUBBER SHARES WEAK.

A heavy tone ruled in the Rubber share market, while business was still on an extremely small scale. A fair trade was put through in the commodity market at steady rates. Spot and October sold 1s. 4¼d. per lb., while December stiffened from 1s. 4¼d. to 1s. 4¾d.; January to March sold 1s. 4¼d., 1s. 5d. and 1s. 4¾d., and April to June 1s. 5¼d. to 1s. 5½d. per lb. In the share market Bernam Perak dropped 9d. to 32s. 6d., while Buntar shed 2s. 6d. to 25s. 9d. easier, while Java Amalgamated dropped a similar amount to 41s 3d. Highlands, Kasintos, Kuala Lumpur, Kuala Mora lands, Labu were all 1s. 3d. down, while Malacca and Lingei each dropped 2s. 6d. Manchester North Borneo went 3s. 9d. lower to 30s., and Mendaris at 30s. were 1s. 10½d. lower. There were many other declines of smaller denominations.

TEA SHARES QUIET.

Dealings continued on a rather quiet scale in the Tea share market, while the final quotations as a whole were not much altered. Of the few price movements recorded, however, the majority were favourable to holders, several appreciable gains being scored. Budla Beta finished ⅛ firmer at 7⅞, and Chargola put on 1s. to 28s. 6d. Makum were another firm spot, closing 1s. better at 46s. 6d., while Jetinga Valley at 59s. 7½d. were 10½d. firmer. Scottish Assam spurted to 46s. 9d., or 2s. 9d. up, while Nedeem at 60s. were 1s. to the good. Galaha Ceylon, 69s. were 1s. to the good, dropped back rather sharply, closing 2s. 6d easier, while Jokai shed ⅛ to 5¼.

OIL SHARES IMPROVING.

Indications were not lacking towards the close on Thursday that the fall in Oil shares had been somewhat overdone. The course of the market yesterday strengthened this view. It is true that business was on only a small scale in all directions, but those dealings who had been prominent in offering shares on the preceding day stayed their hands, while a moderate demand encouraged by the decline was reflected in slightly higher prices. Quite a good showing was made by Royal Dutch. From the overnight's level of 28¾ the shares were bid up to 29¾, while at the close a gain of ⅛ was registered at 28¾. Business in Shells of a small character, further receding to 43⅞, was on only a moderate scale, but the shares recovered ⅛ to 44. the Bearer being up to a like extent at 44¼, while the 7 p.c. Prefs. were another strong market, the final value being 3 points up at 102, while among Buenos Ayres issues, the Pacifics at 95 showed an improvement of ¼. Bahia Blanca Guaranteed Stock at 61 and Central Argentine Ordinary Stock at 61 were also both ½ to the good, while Entre Rios 5 per cent. Cumulative Preference gained a like amount to 93¼. Leopoldinas and United Havanas, on the other hand, were each ½ easier to 52 and 76 respectively.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

Activity was noticeable in certain sections of the Industrial Market yesterday, but the tendency generally remained irregular. Artsilks continued to attract most attention, with good buying reported for Courtaulds and Snia Viscosa were in active request, with an advance of 1s. 9d. at 49s. 3d., and Courtaulds finished 1s. 3d. up. The Celanese group proved uncertain. British Celanese Ordinary fluctuated between 4¾ and 4¼, closing without net change at 4¾, with the Preference 3d. easier at 34s. 6d., after 35s. 3d. American Celanese Common hardened to 22¼, but Canadian Celanese lost ⅛ at 16½. Moderate support was given to the leading Coal, Steel and Engineering descriptions, but little variation was shown on balance. Buyers were again in evidence among Electric Equipments, though toward the finish sellers appeared in Associated Electrics at 12s. 3d., India Rubber Gutta Percha at 20s., and Johnson and Phillips at 49s. 3d. Siemens well maintained their advance, and both British Insulated at 74s. 9d. and Brush Electric at 27s. 6d. gained 9d. There was not a great deal doing among Shipping issues, apart from an inquiry for Court Lines, which raised the price 1s. to 31s. Cunards, Furness Withy and P. and O. Deferred were unchanged, and Cairn Lines dwindled to 21s. 6d.

Insurance shares kept firm, with Commercial Unions favoured at 28s. Breweries were good in places. City of London improved to 4½, and Distillers changed hands up to 60s. Benskins were dealt in at 64s. 6d., and Ind Coopes at 70s. 4½d. Guinnes remained a dull spot, further receding to 43⅝. Tobaccos moved irregularly. Carreras lost a fraction at 18½, and Copes at 2½, but "Bats" were firm at 105s. 9d. A fair business was done in the Stores group, where D. H. Evans rose ¼ to 3½, and Swears and Wells Ordinary 1s. 9d. to 29s. 3d. Among Caterers, Aerated Breads put on 1s. 6d. to 30s. Of the food supply shares, Van Den Berghs eased to 3½, with Liptons maintained at 17s. 3d. Brazilian Common continued to receive support in the Traction group, closing 2 higher at 207, with the Preference marked up a point to 107. Barcelonas Common were maintained at 71, but Mexican Light and Power receded to 50¾. The feature among Motor shares was the strength of Napier Ordinary, which gained 3s. 9d. at 63s. 9d. Telegraph and Telephone issues showed little variation, but in the Wireless group Marconis attracted attention, the Ordinary closing 1s. 9d. to 22s. 9d., the Preference 1s. 3d. to 27s. 6d., and the Debentures 1 to 102. Canadian Marconis also hardened to 6s. 6d. Land shares showed no decided tendency. Nitrates generally maintained a firm front, with Lautaros in request at up at 4½. Cements received a fair amount of attention. British Cement Products and Finance Ordinary changing hands at 32s. 4½d. and the Deferred at 15s. 3d. Newspapers moved within narrow limits, closing firm, with *Daily Mirrors* buyers around 71⅛, and Inverexks at 4½.

Columbia Graphophones resumed their rise, and finished 2s. 6d. to the good at 123s. 6d. On the other hand, Vocalions eased to 12s. on the denial of the negotiations with the Gramophone Company, whose shares closed at 117s. Match issues continued firm, with British Match in demand at 31s. 3d. Swedish "A" improved to 19¼, and the "B" shares to 19⅛. Imperial Chemical Ordinary hardened to 37s. 4½d., and the Deferred to 8s. 4½d., with Dunlops 34s. 6d. buyers.

GOLD MINE STRIKE CALLED OFF.

The London agents of the Randfontein Estates Gold Mining Company, Witwatersrand, Limited, announce the receipt of the following cable, dated September 29, from the head office at Johannesburg:—"Strike called off unconditionally."

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols 4	54	+ ⅛
Do. 2½	62	
War Loan 5½	100½	
Do. 4½	96½	+ ⅛
Do. 4%	95½	
Do. 4% Tax Free	102¼	
Funding Loan	103½	
Victory Bonds	103¾	
2½% Conversion Loan	62½	
4½% Conversion Loan	97½	
5% Treasury Bonds	100¾	
Irish Land 3½%	80½	
India 5%	102½	
Do. 3½%	65½	
Do. 3½%	62½	
Do. 2½%	57	
Local Loans	69¾	
Sudan 4½%	102	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 3%	80	
Do. 4%	101½	
British Col. 4½, 1941	103	
Canada 4%, 1940-60	99	
Ceylon 4%	93	
Cyprus 4%	88½	
New South Wales 4½, '72-7	98	
Do. do. 5½, 1927-7	106	
Do. do. 5% 1930-60	101	
New Zealand 4½, '29	103	
Nigeria 6%	115	
Queensland 4%, '60-90	101	
Do. do. 3%, '30-40	85	
South Africa 4% Conv.	99	
Do. 3½	87	
South Australia 4%, '40-60	91	
Do. do. 5½ %	104	
Victoria 4%, '40-60	100	
Do. 5½ % 1927-8	106	
Western Australia 5%, '28-48	102	
Do. do. 4½, 1930-40	101	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	6⅞	7⅛	
Bank of Australasia	14½	14¾	+ ⅛
Bank of England	33	34	+1
Bank of Montreal	38	39	
Bank of New South Wales	41	43	
Do. New Zealand	2⅞	3	
Barclay's A shares	7½	8¼	
B shares	7½	8	
British Overseas	3⅝	3⅞	
Canadian of Commerce	20¾	20⅞	
Chartered of India	29	30	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	63½	63.0	+0/5
Lloyds	64/9	64/9	+⅛
Midland	9	9¼	
National Discount "B"	13	13¼	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	8⅝	8¾	
Royal of Canada	153½	155	
South African of South Africa	14¾	15⅛	
Standard of South Africa	15	15⅜	
Union of Australia	19½	19¾	+⅛
Westminster Bank			

FOREIGN BONDS.

Argentine 5 p.c. 1886	100	102	
Do. 5 p.c. Recognitions	87	88	
Do. 5 p.c. 1909	93	95	
Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	102	103	
Brazil 4 p.c. 1889	60	62	
Do. Funding, 1908	58	60	
Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	60	62	
Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	37	39	
Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	35	37	
Do. 5 p.c. 1912	39½	41½	
Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	105½	106½	
Egyptian Unified	93¾	94¼	
French Loan	124½	124¾	
Do. 4 p.c.	103	103	
German 7 p.c.	97	98	
Greek Loan	40	41	
Italian Rentes	69	69½	
Japan 4 p.c. 1905	96	97	
Do. 6 p.c. 1924	96	97	
Mexican 5 p.c. '99	37	38	
Do. 4 p.c. 1904 Treas	14¾	14¾	
Peruvian Corporation	9	9¼	
Do. Pref.	103	103	
Do. Deb.	38	38	
Portuguese 3 p.c.	25	26	
Spanish 4 p.c.	74	75	
Turkish Unified	24	25	
Uruguay 3½ p.c.	68	69	

BRITISH RAILS.

Great Western	89½	90½
Do. Cons. Pref.	87	90
Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	69½	70½
Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	70½	71½
Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	93	95
Do. 4 p.c. Deb. 1925	80	82
Ldn. North-East 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	38	39
Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	62	64
Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	58	60
Metropolitan	50	52
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	90
Do. District	60	62
Southern Pref. Ord.	69½	70½
Do. Def. Ord.	36½	37½
Underground Elec. 4½%	78	80
Do. Income Bonds	105	105½

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

Antofagasta	84	86
Argentine G.W. Ord.	80	82
Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk.	61	62
Brazil Railway Common	20	21
Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	103½	104½
Buenos Ayres Pacific	94	95
Buenos Ayres and W.	91	92
Central Argentine	101	103
Central Argentine	91½	92½
Do. Def.	61½	62½
Central Uruguay	58½	59½
Cordoba Central	35½	37½
Do. 1st Pref.	90½	91½
Do. 2nd Pref.	35½	37½
Entre Rios	72½	74½
Do. 5 p.c. Cum. Pref.	92½	93½
Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	81	83
Do. 4 n.c. Perp. Deb.	80	83
Leopoldina	51½	52
Mexican Rails	7⅞	8
Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	10	11
Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	7½	8
San Paulo Ord.	175	181
United Havana	75	77

AMERICAN RAILS.

Atchison	165	167
Baltimore	122	124
Chesapeake	180	182
Chicago Milwaukee	17	19
Erie	47	48
Do. 1st Pref.	63	65
New York Ontario	40	42
Southern Common	100	103
Do. Pref.	100	103
Southern Pacific	124	126
Union Pacific	178	181

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

Bass, Ratcliff Ord. shares	3½	3⅝
Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	3½	3⅝
Cite of London Ord.	4	4¼
Guinness Ord.	43¼	43⅜
Guinness Ord.	430	440
Hoare and Co.	3½	3¾
Ind Coope Ord.	70	70½
Peter Walker Ord.	18/9	21/3
South African Breweries	21/6	21/9
Watney (Combe) Pref.	22/6	23/0
Watney, Combe Def.	234	236

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

Bournemouth and Poole	26⅞	28¾
Chilian Ord.	25	26
Chelsea Ord.	26	28
City of London	26	27
County of London	27	27½
London Electric	24	25
Metropolitan	11½	12½
Do. Pref.	20	21
St. James's	25	26
South London	25	26
Westminster Ord.	20	21
Whitehall Electric Pref.	20	21

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

Aerated Bread	29	30
Nevill Druce	2½	2½
Cross and Blackwell	4	5
Lipton	16	17
Lovell and Christmas	3½	4½
Lyons (J.)	4⅞	5
Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	23	24
Meux's Ord.	5/4½	5/10½
Smithfield Arg. Meat	2½	2¾
Spratt's Patent	18	19
Union Cold Storage Pref	18/9	19/9
Van Den Berghs	3½	3¼
Do. Pref.	4¼	5¼

IRON AND STEEL.

Armstrong (W. G.)	3/1½	3/7½
Cammell Laird	7/9	8/3
Cargo Fleet	8/6	9/3
Dorman Long	11/3	11/9
John Brown	12/6	13/6
Pease and Partners	4/6	5/6
South Durham Steel	43/6	47/6
Stavelay	34/3	35/3
United Steel	3/7½	4/1½
Vickers Ord.	11/4½	11/10½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

Abbott's Land	3½	1½
Argentine Land Inv.	11½	2/10
Brit. Southern Land	1¼	1⅝
B.N.B. Land	8/6	9/6
Forestal Land	27/6	27/6
Hudson's Bay Ord.	4⅛	4¼
Pekin Syndicate	4½	5
Rio Negro Lands	1½	1⅝
Sudan Plantations	4½	4⅝

NEWSPAPERS.

Assd. Newspapers Def.	17⅛	18
Allied Newspapers	72½	73.3
Daily Express (New)	27/6	28/9
Daily Mail Trust	63/0	64/0
Do. Def. Ord.	64/0	65/0
Illustrated Newspapers	26.3	27.3
Sunday Pictorial Ord.	4⅛	4⅜

NITRATES.

Alianza	10	11
Anglo-Chilean Nitrate	18/9	19/0
Lautaro Nitrate	4½	4⅝
Lautaro Nitrate	4½	4⅝
New Tamarugal	23/6	24/0
Research Nitrate	3/6	3/6
Tarapaca Nitrate	10/3	10/6

OILS.

Anglo-American	1½	1⅝
Anglo-Egyptian Ord.	1½	1⅝
Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1½	1⅝
Anglo-Persian Ord.	28/1½	28/7½
Do. 6 p.c. 1st Pref.	24/0	24/6
Do. 6 p.c. 2nd Pref.	24/0	24/6
Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	1½	1⅝
Attock	3½	3⅝
Bolivian Syndicate Pref. (10/-)	3½	3⅝
British Borneo (5/-)	3½	3⅝
British Controlled	1½	1⅝
Burmah	27/6	28/0
Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	29/0	29/3
Caledonian	1½	1⅝
Creole Syndicate	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Cumulative Pref.	3½	3⅝
Egam Ord.	11/9	12/3
Egam Ltd. (10/- shares)	3½	3⅝
Kern River (10/-)	11/9	12/3
Kern River (£1)	3½	3⅝
Lagunillas (5/- shares)	3½	3⅝
Mexican Eagle	8/6	8/9
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£10)	8½	8⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£5)	4⅜	4½
Mexican Panuco	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	3½	3⅝
Mexican Petroleum	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£10)	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£5)	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (£1)	3½	3⅝
Do. 6 p.c. Pref. (10/-)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def.	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (£10)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (£5)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (£1)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (10/-)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (5/-)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (2/6)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/-)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (6d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (3d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (½d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (¼d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (⅛d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/16d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/32d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/64d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/128d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/256d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/512d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/1024d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/2048d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/4096d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/8192d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/16384d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/32768d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/65536d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/131072d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/262144d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/524288d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/1048576d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/2097152d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/4194304d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/8388608d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/16777216d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/33554432d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/67108864d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/134217728d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/268435456d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/536870912d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/1073741824d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/2147483648d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/4294967296d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/8589934592d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/17179869184d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/34359738368d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/68719476736d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/137438953472d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/274877906944d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/549755813888d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/1099511627776d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/2199023255552d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/4398046511104d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/8796093022208d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/17592186044416d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/35184372088832d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/70368744177664d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/140737488355328d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/281474976710656d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/562949953421312d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/1125899906842624d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/2251799813685248d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/4503599627370496d.)	3½	3⅝
Do. Def. (1/9007199254740992d.)	3½	3⅝
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OBSTRUCTIONS TO TRAFFIC.

THE TRAM-CAR AND 'BUS COMPARED.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB'S SUGGESTIONS.

At a sitting of the Inter-Departmental Committee on the Control and Regulation of Road Traffic in the Irish Free State, in the Boardroom of the Department of Agriculture, Dublin, yesterday, Dr. de Burg Daly gave evidence on behalf of the Royal Irish Automobile Club.

Mr. J. Quigley, B.E., Chief Road Engineer, Chairman, presided.

FAST TRAFFIC.

Dr. de Burg Daly said that he did not think that a motor vehicle should pass a stationary tramcar when passengers were alighting from or boarding the tramcar, except under very exceptional circumstances. To meet the case of colour blindness, main road signs could be fish-tailed and secondary road signs straight oblongs. The percentage of persons suffering from colour blindness was three to four per cent. The whole responsibility of passing other fast traffic should rest on the "passer." The suggestion made of a clear view of 100 yards was, in his opinion, far too short. He would suggest that no distance should be fixed, but that the onus should be placed entirely on the "passer."

In view of the statistics of accidents caused by pedestrians—85 per cent. of fatal and 41.6 of all accidents—it was advisable to make rules in the interests of the public generally. "Walk to the left" should be hung up on lampposts, and the people should be gradually educated to reverse the present practice. Stepping off a pavement with back to overtaking road traffic, and all other breaches of traffic regulations, should be considered by law to be "contributory negligence" in case of accident. A driver convicted of drunkenness should be severely dealt with, and his licence should be suspended for at least twelve months. The difficulty in such cases was to define drunkenness.

THE FITNESS OF DRIVERS.

On the subject of medical certificates of fitness to enable a driver to obtain a licence, the witness said that he considered that medical certificates would prove of very little, if any, benefit to the public generally, and would entail considerable expense on motorists. There were something like 60,000 licensed drivers in the Free State. The fee for a suitable examination by a responsible doctor would be 10s. to £1—a tax of £30,000 to £60,000 on present drivers, the majority of whom had been driving safely for several years. He would suggest that where it came to the knowledge of the Civic Guard that any driver was suffering from a physical disability the case should be brought before a magistrate, who should have power to suspend the licence of any such person until such time as a special medical examination was made.

Dealing with the tramway system, which he described as the greatest of all obstructions to speeding up traffic, the witness submitted that if there was no tramway system local authorities never would allow one under present conditions. An ever-increasing number of passengers would demand quicker transport than the tramways offered, and it might at once be fully recognised that motor 'buses had come to stay, and would be more and more used, and as a result, in the course of not a considerable number of years, the tramway system in Dublin City would be removed.

TAKING A LONG VIEW.

He submitted that that Committee should take a long view, and consider what recommendations should be made to deal with the vested interests of their excellent tramways system. He would suggest that the Dublin United Tramways Company was entitled to be granted facilities to place motor 'buses on the roads, and that an understanding should be come to that, wherever a licence was given to run motor 'buses, it should be agreed that so many tramcars should be taken off the line. This would enable the Tramway Company gradually to replace their tramways by motor 'buses, and would probably result in maintaining a profitable business in years to come.

Mr. Fagan pointed out to the witness that the Committee could deal only with such matters as came within their terms of reference.

The Chairman also drew attention to the function of the Committee, and made it clear that they could not consider any question regarding the interests of the Tramway Company. They could, he said, hear evidence that 'buses were a less impediment to traffic than tramcars, and that the extension of the 'bus services should be encouraged, but they could not go outside their terms of reference.

ACCIDENTS TO CHILDREN.

The witness went on to say that everyone must recognise that tramcars were a great obstruction to fast traffic, and as a concrete case he asked the members of the Committee to picture in their minds a motorist driving from College Green to Booterstown. Outgoing and incoming motors and other traffic were held up by tramcars at Clare street, Merrion square, Haddington road, Ailesbury road, Merrion Gates and Booterstown avenue. At present tramcars at these points stop before meeting the cross-roads, and he suggested that this system should be altered throughout the whole tramway system wherever possible, and that tramcars should pass cross-roads and pass a tram's length beyond them before stopping.

To lessen the number of accidents to children it would be advisable that short lectures be given in all schools. The Roads Advisory Board should be made permanent by law under the same or some other title, and definite functions attached to it. The sooner that parking for long periods was prevented the sooner would cheap garage accommodation be established. Public and private owners should have the right of appeal to a magistrate to prevent parking in front of their premises, if they could prove that their business was interfered with to any serious extent.

A NEW DANGER.

It was evident that motor 'buses were going to increase rapidly in number, and eventually they would replace tramcars. The competition between 'bus owners and companies created a new danger to all users of the road. The suggested speed of 25 miles was reasonable. To the excellent regulations proposed by the Civic Guard he would suggest that the passing in cities and towns of moving 'buses by other 'buses should be prohibited, and also that the departure or arrival before scheduled time should be an offence. Effective checks at Guard stations could be made without detailing Guards for special duty.

General O'Duffy asked the witness what his opinion was of pillion-riding.

The witness replied that, in his opinion, pillion-riding was a danger to the rider, but not to the public. He thought that it would be a hardship to prevent pillion-riding.

The sitting was adjourned until 11 o'clock next Tuesday.

CLOTHES TAKE FIRE.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BURNED IN TYRONE.

When Margaret Duffy, the eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Duffy, Sherrygroom, Co. Tyrone, was lighting a fire in the house yesterday morning her clothes became ignited. Hearing her cries, the mother, who, it appears, was in bed, got up and ran to her assistance. Mrs. Duffy's clothes also caught fire, and both daughter and mother were badly burned.

Dr. Hayes, dispensary officer for Stewartstown, after attending to their injuries, motored to Cookstown for the ambulance and had them removed to the Dungannon Hospital for treatment. The child is in a critical condition.

Mr. Duffy, who is employed at the Tyrone brush works at Dungannon, was away at the time of the accident.

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RELIEF OF THE POOR.

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obviate continuous night duty over long periods by any of its members.

We are not in sympathy with the attempt to preserve in small towns district or cottage hospitals on the plea that the distances to the central hospital are too great. Given a hospital which has established for itself a record of efficient and sympathetic administration and to which admission can be readily obtained distances of from twenty to twenty-five miles will not deter the poor from availing of it in areas where there are good roads and modern means of transport.

In some counties the institutional accommodation provided for the sick falls far short of what the county scheme contemplates. The centres chosen for the county hospitals are, as a rule, suitable, but the hospitals themselves are not, in some instances, up to a reasonable standard, nor is the accommodation sufficient, while in others the development is taking place on lines that are not consistent with the general policy of complete severance from ordinary poor relief.

NEW BUILDINGS.

The county hospital should be an institution under one control in which both medical and surgical cases are treated. The arrangement in several counties under which surgical cases are treated in a county surgical hospital and medical cases relegated to the words of the county home we do not regard as satisfactory. Most of the district hospitals are situate in old workhouse buildings, and, while exception cannot be taken in every case to this, we think that, unless they can be effectively cut off from the unoccupied portions of these old buildings, the location will not ultimately prove satisfactory and modern small hospitals will have to be provided.

The accommodation for cases of infectious and contagious diseases does not appear to be inadequate except in the counties of Galway, Mayo and Tirconaill, but in several other counties it is, for reasons indicated in the report, unsuitable.

Whilst recognising the difficult problem presented by the advanced cases of tuberculosis, we do not think the County Home is the proper place for them, or that they should be admitted to the district hospitals unless they can be completely isolated. We would like to see followed the lead given by the Counties Galway and Monaghan in providing sanatoria distinct from the County Home or District Hospital.

We believe it may be necessary to set aside accommodation in the county boroughs for casuals or night lodgers.

In case of failure to find lodgings for casuals the assistance officer should have power to send the case for a single night to the County Home pending further investigation by the superintendent assistance officer.

COUNTY BOUNDARIES.

County boundaries should not be a barrier to those eligible for relief getting it at the nearest public institution. Many hospitals are within easy reach of parts of neighbouring counties, and should be accessible to the poor of the surrounding districts. The Minister should have power to require Boards of Health to make inter-county arrangements for this purpose.

We are inclined to the belief that at present in some counties the poor are often at a loss to know to whom they should apply for relief, and ignorant of the relief to which they are entitled. The names of persons who have authority to order admission to institutions or to order examinations with a view to admission should be widely published in every area, and assistance officers should everywhere be empowered to authorise admission. Subject to such regulations as are approved by the Minister, there should be power to admit to all institutions persons not eligible for relief.

There should be a motor ambulance at every County Home and County Hospital. Additional ambulances should be provided in connection with the district hospitals in certain isolated areas and also in the larger urban areas where it is not proposed to establish hospitals.

The Board of Health should have power on the death of an inmate of any of the institutions to pay a reasonable amount for the removal of the remains if the relatives desire to take the remains home for burial and are too poor to bear the cost.

HOME ASSISTANCE.

SUPERINTENDENT OFFICERS.

We see no reason for re-imposing the old absolute restrictions with regard to the grant of out-door relief, but we think discretion should be allowed as to whether assistance shall be given in an institution or at home.

If properly administered the regulations governing home assistance should prevent abuses and extravagances.

We are fully convinced of the wisdom of the regulation which requires each board of health to appoint a superintendent assistance officer, but we are not sure that the duties of this office can be combined with those of secretary of the board of health. We recommend that, where the area of their districts and the ordinary number of cases in receipt of assistance warrant, assistance officers should be whole-time officers.

The assistance officer should reside in a place easy of access from all parts of his district and his name and address and that of the superintendent assistance officer should be posted in every Garda barracks.

We are satisfied that the boards of health, whilst perhaps acting with more liberality than their predecessors, still fall short of discharging their full obligations in regard to persons eligible for relief who cannot be sent to institutions and that this applies particularly to the cases of widows with children and able-bodied men with dependent families.

MOTHERS' PENSIONS.

We are in favour of a scheme of mothers' pensions payable by the State. Should the Government not feel in a position to shoulder the burden of State pensions or to introduce a contributory pensions scheme for widows and orphans, we think it their duty to see that the boards of health give adequate assistance.

The State might encourage the boards of health in the discharge of their duties in respect of the relief of necessitous widows with children and the dependent children of destitute able-bodied men, who through no fault of their own are unable to provide the necessaries of life, by making a grant equal to half the cost of such relief in each case subject to a fixed maximum.

Where home assistance is likely to be continuous, it might be possible to arrange for the payment of the weekly amounts by pay order or through the Post Office in the same manner as old age pensions are paid. We are not in favour of disbursing home assistance through private agencies. Under the existing law voluntary workers can be utilised by the Board of Health, and we would like to see the boards, wherever voluntary help in available, using their powers in this respect.

We hesitate to recommend definitely the application of the Elberfeld system of relief without studying more closely the conditions under which it is worked in Germany, but the law might admit of the Minister giving his sanction to a scheme on the lines of the Elberfeld system being inaugurated on the submission in detail by the Board of Health of such a proposal.

We think it would be useful that power should be reserved to the Minister to order, if he thinks fit, the publication in every district of the names of persons in that district in receipt of assistance.

DISPENSARIES.

SMALL FEES FOR POOR PEOPLE.

The general evidence we received in regard to the working of the dispensary medical services was of a satisfactory nature; but the statistical returns show that Connaught and the poorer counties of the Western seaboard seem to demand less free medical attendance than the more prosperous counties of the midlands and the east. From the evidence relating to the working of the dispensary services in parts of Mayo, we have come to the conclusion that in recent years the administration left much to be desired and that medical relief tickets were difficult to obtain.

The dispensary rules provide for agreement between the Board of Health and dispensary medical officers as to a scale of fees for persons who, whilst not able to pay the doctor's usual fees, are willing and able to pay a small fee and do not wish to have recourse to a free ticket. We recommend the local authorities and medical officers to consider whether scales of fees cannot be drawn up for such cases.

The accommodation in some of the dispensaries visited was unsuitable and the furnishing of the poorest description. The order and cleanliness in a number was very bad, and, generally speaking, the standard of comfort was low. It is essential that the accommodation should be clean, comfortable and well equipped and sufficient to ensure absolute privacy for a complete examination should such be necessary.

The inspections of dispensaries by the Local Government Department's inspectors should be carried out without notice. Every encouragement should be given to the dispensary medical officers to look upon the hospitals as a necessary complement to the dispensaries.

NURSES.

The services of the dispensary midwives on a free ticket do not appear to be utilised as frequently as the circumstances of the poor would permit. We consider that nurses with general nursing qualifications should be a necessary part of the medical service in each dispensary district. At present such nurses are supplied in many areas by voluntary organisations.

We believe that the development of surgical and medical nursing in the homes of the poor had better take place through the agency of the Jubilee Institute for Nurses than be superimposed on the local authority, and we suggest, therefore, that it be made legal for the local authority, with the consent of the Minister, where local effort fails to provide sufficient funds to maintain a nurse in the district, to guarantee the difference between what is required and what is subscribed voluntarily.

Where new dispensaries are provided separate from the medical officer's residence accommodation for a nurse might also be provided.

The tuberculosis medical service should be linked as closely as possible with the other medical services of the county.

UNMARRIED MOTHERS.

THE WORK OF RESCUE SOCIETIES.

Unmarried mothers may, from the administrative point of view, be divided into two classes: (1) those who may be considered as amenable to reform, and (2) the less hopeful cases. The Board of Health should be allowed an almost complete discretion in dealing with and paying for the first class through rescue societies and other voluntary agencies.

For the women of both classes who cannot be provided for through voluntary organisations we propose special institutions (which it will probably be convenient to establish in proximity to the larger County Homes) be set up on the lines of that already established at Pelletstown. To these homes there should be attached a maternity and a probationary department. There should be power to retain women, who on admission express their willingness to remain, for a period not exceeding one year on first admission, two years on second admission, and for such period as the local authority think fit on third or subsequent admission. Cases whose period of residence is indeterminate should be reviewed annually.

We see no objection to such women as the Matron of the special institution for unmarried mothers considers suitable being transferred to the County Home for the purpose of assisting in the cleaning, etc.

AFFILIATION ORDERS.

No woman should be discharged until she satisfies the Board of Health that she will be able to provide for her child or children; but discretion might be left to the Board to allow the woman to take her discharge without taking her child, or children, if they consider this desirable from the circumstances of the particular case.

We recommend that the District Court be given power to make an affiliation order on the application of the mother, and that the Board of Health be given power to apply for an order if the mother and child are in receipt of public assistance.

The age of consent is, in our opinion, at present too low, and should be raised to 18, if not 19, years. We see no reason for allowing the plea of reasonable belief as to legal age in cases under the Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1885. The law in regard to sexual offences should operate evenly against both sexes.

We are not prepared to put forward any scheme for repatriation through official agencies of unmarried mothers who migrate to England and become public charges there.

We are of opinion that all private maternity homes should be licensed annually, and that the provisions of the Children Act, 1908, relating to Infant Life Protection should be amended.

CHILDREN.

NO STATE DEPARTMENT.

We favour the continuance and extension where practicable of boarding out of children. Children under school age whom it is not possible to board out should be accommodated in the Homes provided for unmarried mothers.

We recommend that it be made legal to board out orphan and deserted children in respect of whom the Board of Health have assumed parental rights under Section 1 of the Poor Law Act, 1899, and that the Boards should be empowered to apply the section to the children of vagrants where they are neglected or are living in surroundings morally bad. The age at which children pass from the control of the Board of Health should be raised. Girls should remain under the control of the Board until 18, or, in special cases, until 21 years of age.

We propose that the residue of children who cannot be otherwise dealt with be sent to the Industrial Schools without the formality of committal by judicial procedure. No children would, therefore, remain in the County Homes.

It should be made clear that in the case of the deaf mute child of parents who although not destitute are unable to pay for the child's training a Board of Health can join with the parents in defraying the cost of education in the same manner as they can assist poor parents to obtain medical and surgical treatment for their children.

We think an effective means should exist of enabling every boy in the Industrial Schools who had shown aptitude in a particular trade and who wishes to take it up as a means of livelihood to be apprenticed on discharge, and provision should be made for his maintenance during the period of apprenticeship.

We are unable to recommend the establishment of a State Children Department.

LOCAL AUTHORITY.

ABOLITION OF BOARDS OF HEALTH.

While recognising that it is possible for a Board of Health under a capable and business-like chairman and with the help of committees to work the administrative machine efficiently, we are inclined to the view that in actual practice the Boards are not able to exercise the supervision which their institutions, officers, and services require. We are unable to formulate any plan which, by merely altering the constitution or methods of procedure of the Board, would be calculated to lead to more efficient administration.

The alternative we recommend is the abolition of the Board of Health and the assumption by the County Council itself of the control of poor relief working through a paid official whom they would place in entire charge of the poor law services of the county in the same manner as the general manager of a company under the control of a board of directors.

If such an official as we contemplate were appointed, the Secretary of the Board of Health would be relieved of his present duties of supervision and in many of the counties it would be possible to dispense with the post of Superintendent Assistance Officer.

Under this Scheme we believe it would be possible and desirable for the Central Authority to allow the County Councils a very much freer hand than is allowed to the Board of Health.

COST OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

Taken in the aggregate and allowing for the decrease in the value of money, the evidence would go to show that the burden on the ratepayers has not been increased by reason of the change from union to county administration.

We cannot attribute the reduction in the number of persons in receipt of relief in 1925 as compared with the number in 1913 as being due to a diminution in the number of persons whose circumstances would entitle them to relief, but rather to the fact that the poor were not accustomed to the new order of things, and that old people especially preferred to endure privation outside rather than resort to central institutions. It would, we think, be unsafe to predict that expenditure will not go higher.

The enlargement of the area of charge from the union to the county has had a most beneficial effect in lightening the burden on some of the poorest areas.

The present basis of allocation of Government grants is out of date, and should be reviewed in the light of existing needs. Any investigation of the subject of the grants should extend not merely to the question of re-allocation, but to the method of providing funds.

The charges on the Guarantee Fund in respect of defaulting tenant purchasers in each county fall to be deducted from the grants due to the County Council, who have no power to compel defaulters to pay. We recommend that the law be altered.

We are of opinion that if the entire or a considerable portion of the burden of providing and equipping homes and hospitals is thrown on the ratepayers, the process of reconstructing or setting up institutions for the classes who must be relieved in institutions will be slow. We recommend that substantial State aid should be given, partly in the form of a free grant and partly of long-term loans at a low rate of interest. We suggest the basis on which the grant for each county should be calculated.

The disqualification of old age pensioners maintained in poor law institutions should be removed, and the pension should be made applicable to their maintenance.

CHARITABLE ORGANISATIONS.

It is probable there is a certain amount of overlapping amongst the various charities and between the charities and the Poor Law, but it seems almost impossible to avoid this without resort to a system to which some of the societies would object.

The reduction of home assistance grants by the amounts received from charitable sources can only be justified where the right to adequate assistance is admitted and the amount allowed is sufficient to provide the necessaries of life.

Local authorities should be permitted to assist charitable organisations who undertake to deal with derelict homeless men and persons who ordinarily resorted to the casual ward of the workhouse.

CASE OF DUBLIN.

JOINT COMMITTEE OF TWO COUNCILS.

We recommend that the functions under the Poor Relief Acts of the Board of Guardians of the Unions in Dublin County and County Borough be transferred to the County Council and the County Borough Council acting through a joint committee, and that central institutions for the whole area be set up. There should be a County Home and a County Hospital for the joint district. Dublin Workhouse buildings will afford ample accommodation for these institutions.

The other institutions we recommend are a home for unmarried mothers and children in the Pelletstown school premises, and an institution for cases of pulmonary tuberculosis at the old Rathdown Union Workhouse at Loughlinstown.

Under a joint scheme it should not be necessary to maintain St. Columbcille's Hospital at Loughlinstown for its present purpose. If it is not found feasible to treat infectious cases from the whole area in Cork Street Hospital, St. Columbcille's Hospital might be utilised as a fever hospital for the southern portion of the county. If St. Columbcille's Hospital is abolished, we see no objection to a district hospital being provided at Bray, if the County Wicklow Board of Health so desire.

It will not be necessary to use Balrothery Workhouse for any purpose connected with poor relief. Ambulances should be stationed at Dun Laoghaire, Loughlinstown, and Balbriggan.

We do not recommend the introduction of a law of settlement and removal, but it may be advisable to prescribe a period of residence in a district as a condition of eligibility for admission to institutions if it can be shown that there is an appreciable migration to the cities merely for the purpose of getting relief.

The Poor Relief Acts should be repealed and the poor law enacted in a single amending and consolidating statute.

MENTAL HOSPITALS.

MORE ACCOMMODATION NEEDED.

The accommodation for the insane poor in the district mental hospitals (including the auxiliary mental hospital) is either fully occupied or insufficient or unsuitable in all but three institutions (Kilkenny, Letterkenny, and Portlaoighise Mental Hospitals).

We think it would be unsafe to reckon on any diminution of the number of insane persons to be provided for. We recommend that the insane in poor law institutions and the excess population of the mental hospitals be provided for in auxiliary mental hospitals. Where the numbers needing provision in a district are not sufficient to justify a separate auxiliary mental hospital, we recommend that districts should be combined for the purpose of making such provision.

We see no insuperable difficulties to the establishment of hospital wards unconnected with the mental hospitals for the treatment of incipient forms of mental disease and temporary states of mental disorder, or to the establishment of dispensaries for out-patients with which medical officers of the mental hospital would be associated.

BOARDING-OUT.

We think that under necessary safeguards as to inspection the law should permit the boarding-out of the insane.

The Boards of Health should be encouraged to avail themselves of the accommodation for mentally defective children that now exists. We recommend that as an inducement to send such children to an approved institution a grant equal to half the net cost of maintenance should be made. Subject to the condition that the child can benefit by the training, the Board of Health should be empowered, if they think fit, to join with the parents of a mentally defective child in paying the expenses of maintenance in an approved institution. No child should be retained at the public expense in an approved institution beyond the time when improvement in his or her condition cannot be effected.

Approved institutions for defectives should be visited and reported on by the Inspector of Mental Hospitals.

We recommend that the forms of certificates, declarations, and other documents required in connection with the admission, detention, and discharge of patients should be prescribed by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, if not laid down by statute.

ADMISSION.

We propose that, without lessening the safeguards against improper detention, certain defects in the present admission procedure should be remedied. We recommend that in the case of poor persons who become insane, and whose relatives are not in a position to pay for the means of conveyance or for the medical certificate, that it be the duty of the Home Assistance Officer to arrange for examination, certification and transfer to the mental hospital. We anticipate that, with an alternative procedure available to meet the necessities of poor persons, the number of commitals as dangerous lunatics under the Lunacy Act, 1867, will be considerably reduced.

We recommend that voluntary admissions to the district mental hospitals on conditions prescribed by the central authority be made lawful.

We recommend that the law relieve Peace Commissioners, medical practitioners and all persons giving certificates and making orders in connection with the reception of patients into mental hospitals from liability to legal proceedings if they act in good faith and with reasonable care. The power to discharge patients on probation should be more freely used, and the maximum period of absence on probation extended.

If voluntary associations for the after-care of patients discharged from mental hospitals are established we would see no objection to their work being assisted from public funds.

The cases of criminal lunatics in district mental hospitals should be periodically reviewed.

MANAGERS.

In the management of the mental hospital it should be open to the County Council if they think fit to act through a paid official instead of a committee. If the Council appoint a paid official to manage the mental hospital they should be required to appoint at the same time a visiting committee. We are not in favour of seperating the medical from the non-medical functions of the resident medical superintendent and transferring the latter to an independent lay manager.

The machinery which the Local Authorities (Officers and Employés) Act, 1926, contemplates for the selection of candidates requiring professional experience should be utilised in the appointment of resident medical superintendents. We are of opinion that the staffs of the auxiliary mental hospitals should be organised on a more modest scale than obtains in the district mental hospitals. Facilities for the training of mental nurses should be available in every mental hospital, and no nurse should be recruited to the staff who is not capable of taking advantage of the instruction given.

The possibility of amalgamating the two systems of inspection carried on under the Minister for Local Government and Public Health and the Chief Justice should be closely examined.

CAPITATION GRANTS.

We recommend the increase of the Government capitation grant for patients in mental hospitals to a figure approximating to half the cost, and we think that the grant should not depend on the receipts from particular sources of revenue.

We concur in the suggestion made to us that the accounts of the mental hospitals should be drawn up on the basis of ordinary commercial accounts of income and expenditure. We see no advantage to the community as a whole in setting up permanent statutory machinery to correct the anomalies with regard to chargeability that occasionally arise.

The power to license private mental hospitals should be transferred from the Circuit Court to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health. All private establishments should be licensed, but charitable or benevolent institutions should be exempt from license duty.

All existing Lunacy Acts should be repealed and new legislation embodied in an amending and consolidating Act.

The report is signed by Charles H. O'Conor (Chairman); Right Rev. Monsignor J. J. Dunne, P.P., V.G.; Sir Joseph Glynn, Dr. Thomas Hennessy, Senator Sir J. Keane, M. E. Murphy, James Sproule Myles, Senator Sioban bean an Padraig (Senator Mrs. J. Wyse Power), Padraig O Siocfrada (P. Sugrue).

RESERVATIONS.

SURPRISE VISITS TO DISPENSARIES.

Senator Sir John Keane, Senator Mrs. Wyse Power and Dr. Thomas Hennessy, T.D., signed the report subject to reservations contained in separate memoranda.

Senator Mrs. Wyse Power disagreed with the Commission on the question of a State Children Department, their conclusions being "so opposed to all progressive legislation that I cannot agree with them."

Dr. Hennessy concurred with Senator Mrs. Wyse Power, and, in addition, disagreed with the recommendation that dispensary medical officers should be subjected to surprise visits during dispensary hours. Such visits, he said, would not promote the mutual trust and confidence between medical inspectors and dispensary doctors necessary in the public interest. Dr. Hennessy also expresses dissatisfaction with the medical services comprised in the Medical Charities Act. In many essentials he does not consider them adequate, and thinks the only remedy is a scheme of medical service on a contributory basis.

THE QUESTION OF COST.

Sir John Keane, in a separate memorandum, writes that he cannot sign the report "without certain comment and qualification." "My observations," he says, "concern the practical aspect of the proposals rather than their academic merits. Our recommendations aim at offering an ideal solution of the problem involved, but no evidence of their cost has been given, and I doubt that many of them are within the means either of central or local funds.

"It is, therefore, essential to try to arrive at some method which will assure sound and responsible finance. This will be found along the lines of respect for the financial autonomy of the local authority. No service involving increased expense should be imposed upon the ratepayers. If the central authority regards any new service as essential, it should be paid for out of central funds, if the local authority is unwilling to undertake it."

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"I realise that the grants in aid of rates from the central fund justify some measure of regulation and control. The central authority might well refuse to assist local Councils unconditionally, yet I consider the objections to divided control so strong that means should be sought to obtain the fullest possible degree of financial separation. This might be done by making certain services representing the total of existing grants entirely State services, and allowing the remaining services to be entirely local services. This would entail an examination of the entire field of local expenditure which was not within our terms of reference, and I recommend the inquiry be carried out. In any such financial separation the purpose of the agricultural grant—namely, to lighten the burden on land, must not be abandoned, and it would be necessary to preserve and continue in future local services the present proportion of cost borne, respectively, between land and other hereditaments.

"PETTY INTERFERENCE."

"In advocating a real and greater regard for local autonomy I do not wish to imply that local bodies should be allowed to compass their own ruin without let or hindrance. I consider the power of the Minister to dissolve recalcitrant or incompetent bodies should be preserved. But there is a very real and great difference between control over essentials and the present perpetual petty interference.

"I also wish to draw attention to the belated appearance and unbalanced character of publications dealing with local government administration."

Sir John Keane also was unable to concur in the "very meagre and guarded recommendation in the majority report with regard to the forms and accounts in use," and at some length criticised the present system. He recommends that steps should be taken to supersede gradually the existing forms and accounts by a single form of double entry book-keeping, the object of which will be to give prompt and true costs in the simplest and most straightforward manner.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

AGENT SENT FOR TRIAL.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT AND FORGERY.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

Sylvester O'Donnell, who had been under remand for some days, was again brought up yesterday, the charge against him being that he embezzled a considerable sum of money from the Singer Sewing Machine Company, falsified accounts, and forged, or caused to be forged, the name of a purchaser of a machine to a hire-purchase form of agreement.

A private soldier, William Muldoon, was charged with having conspired with O'Donnell to commit the fraud by putting a name falsely to a hire-purchase form.

O'Donnell was an agent in the service of the Singer Company, and was in charge of a branch office in Rathmines road. It was stated that he had received £8 8s., the price of a machine, from one person, and that he returned in his report to the manager in the Henry street office that the machine had been out on trial. There were other somewhat similar cases mentioned. It was stated that O'Donnell was married, and that his emoluments averaged £8 a week.

Mr. Little committed him for trial at the Circuit Court, and allowed him to stand out on bail.

Muldoon was discharged.

Mr. Little commended Detective Henry Wyer for his industry in pursuing an extremely complicated case.

CHARGE OF OBTAINING TIMBER BY FRAUD.

Edward Costello, Lower Gardiner street, was charged with having altered cash dockets, and thereby obtained, by fraud, a certain quantity of timber from the yard of Messrs. Brooks, Thomas and Company within the past few days.

It was stated in evidence that the accused man's method was to change the figures in a cash docket, so as to make it appear, when he went from the cash office to the yard, that he had paid, for instance, 11s., when he had, in fact, paid only 1s. In that way he got eleven planks instead of one.

Detectives Cryan and Lee gave evidence as to the arrest of the accused man. He made a statement in the Bridewell, saying that he would plead guilty to some of the charges, but that he was innocent and ignorant of others.

The defendant was remanded in custody.

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THE FREE STATE FINANCES.

EXCHEQUER RETURN FOR SIX MONTHS.

HALF A MILLION EXCHEQUER BILLS.

The Free State Exchequer returns for the first half of the financial year 1927-28 were issued last night. They show that, as compared with the same period of the previous year, Revenue is £552,334 less and Expenditure £60,817 more, or £613,151 of a deficit. There was £564,591 balance in the Exchequer on April 1, and this has been reduced to £78,940.

The Total Issues for the six months exceed the Total Receipts by £485,651, and Total Expenditure also shows an excess of £705,651 over Total Revenue.

The Revenue and Expenditure of 1926 and 1927 are set out thus:—

REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
1927	£11,444,450	1927	£12,150,101
1926	11,996,784	1926	12,089,284
Dec. ...	£552,334	Inc. ...	£60,817

REVENUE DETAILS.

Until we reach Income Tax and Corporation Profits Tax all the revenue departments look well. Customs produced £8,000, Excise £29,000, Motor Vehicle Duties £17,000, Estate Duty £136,000 and Stamps £9,000 more than in 1926. Income Tax turned in £362,000 less, but this must be set down to causes other than the reduction of the rate to 3s., which has practically not yet come into operation. A more disquieting figure is that of £67,000 fall in the Corporation Profits Tax. At this time last year this source of revenue had produced £13,000 more than in 1925.

REVENUE AND ESTIMATES.

Excluding the Miscellaneous Receipts, the following are the proceeds of the principal items of revenue for the first six months of the year and the estimates of the Minister for Finance for the whole year:—

Revenue.	Six Months' Income.	Estimate for year.
Customs	£3,403,000	£6,779,000
Excise	3,378,000	6,611,000
Motor Tax	213,000	650,000
Estate Duties	636,000	1,100,000
Stamps	208,000	475,000
Income Tax	1,089,000	3,750,000
Corporation Tax	98,000	300,000
Total Tax Revenue ...	£9,025,000	£19,665,000
Post Office	840,000	1,749,000
	£9,865,000	£21,414,000

HALF-YEAR'S CLOSING FIGURES.

The revenue and expenditure for the last 11 days of 1927 are compared with the last 10 days of 1926 in the following table:—

REVENUE.

	11 Days to Sept. 30, '27.	10 Days to Sept. 30, '26.
Customs	£270,000	£270,000
Excise	95,000	74,000
Motor Tax	2,000	1,000
Estate Duty	34,000	21,000
Stamps	6,000	8,000
Income Tax	54,000	111,000
Corporation Tax	1,000	34,000
Post Office	150,000	140,000
Land and Sundry	6,030	6,910
Other Receipts	30,784	20,058
Total for Week...	£653,814	£685,968

EXPENDITURE.

Central Fund	£96,770	£35,098
Supply Services	1,685,500	1,593,060
Total Expenditure	£1,782,270	£1,628,158

NEW FREE STATE BILLS FOR £500,000.

The principal "other receipt" is £500,000 from an issue of Free State Bills, raising the total of this item of debt to £3,000,000. Savings Certificates issued during the six months totalled £275,000, compared with £338,500 in 1926. The Certificates paid off this year amount to £88,000, as compared with £62,000 in 1926. On the "other issues" side, the Shannon scheme during the past six months absorbed £468,000, as against £276,400 in 1926. Mr. Blythe's estimate of the amount required this year for the Shannon is £1,185,000. Ways and means advances repaid during the past six months amount to £135,000. In the first six months of 1926, £61,000 was repaid.

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

In the last 11 days the following "other receipts" were recorded:—£50,000 for Telephones, £500,000 Free State Bills, and £11,000 from Savings Certificates. The "other issues" are:—£62,000 for the Shannon scheme, £1,000 under Electricity Supply Act, £40,000 for the Road Fund, £20,000 Savings Certificates paid off, and £33,000 ways and means advances repaid. The adjustments with revenue and expenditure reduce the Exchequer balance, as already stated, to £78,940, as compared with £120,250 at this time last year.

OFFICIAL RETURN.

The following are the receipts into and issues out of the Exchequer between the 1st April, 1927, and the 30th September, 1927:—

Revenue and other Receipts.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from April 1, '27, to Sept. 30, '27.	April 1, '26, to Sept. 30, '26.
REVENUE.	£	£
Customs	3,403,000	3,395,000
Excise	3,378,000	3,349,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	213,000	196,000
Estate, etc., Duties	636,000	500,000
Stamps	208,000	199,000
Property and Income Tax (including Super Tax and Mineral Rights Duty)	1,809,000	2,171,000
Corporation Profits Tax...	98,000	165,000
Post Office	840,000	830,000
Miscellaneous:—		
Receipts on account of Land Purchase Annuities and Sundry Loans	339,030	418,715
Other Receipts	520,420	773,069
Total Revenue...	11,444,450	11,996,784
OTHER RECEIPTS.		
Repayment of Temporary Advances:—		
Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	145,000	85,000
Money raised by Creation of Debt:—		
For Capital Expenditure under Telephone Capital Acts	80,000	75,000
By Irish Free State Bills	500,000	—
By Savings Certificates	275,000	338,500
Ways & Means Advances: By Public Departments	150,000	—
Total Receipts ...	12,594,450	12,495,284
Balance in Exchequer on 1st April, 1927, and 1st April, 1926	564,591	233,250
Total	13,159,041	12,728,534

Expenditure and other Issues.	Total issues out of the Exchequer to meet payments from April 1, '27, to Sept. 30, '27.	April 1, '26, to Sept. 30, '26.
EXPENDITURE.	£	£
Central Fund Services ...	1,688,744	1,295,848
Supply Services	10,461,357	10,793,436
Total Expenditure	12,150,101	12,089,284
OTHER ISSUES.		
Temporary Advances:—		
Under the Unemployment Insurance Acts	68,000	44,000
Issues to meet Capital Expenditure:—		
Under Telephone Capital Acts	80,000	75,000
Under Shannon Electricity Act, 1925 ...	468,000	276,400
Under the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1927	1,000	—
Under Road Fund (Advances) Act, 1926...	90,000	—
Savings Certificates paid off	88,000	62,000
Ways & Means Advances repaid:—		
Public Departments...	135,000	61,000
Total Issues ...	13,080,101	12,607,684
Balance in Exchequer on 30th September, 1927, and 30th September, 1926	78,940	120,250
Total	13,159,041	12,728,534

Department of Finance, Dublin, 30th September, 1927.

OBITUARY.

MR. JOHN B. BOYD.

We regret to announce the death, at Sloperton, Kingstown, of Mr. John B. Boyd, chairman of the firm of Messrs. Boileau and Boyd, Limited, a position which he had held since the death of his brother, the late Mr. Samuel P. Boyd, D.L., in 1915. Mr. Boyd was well known in yachting circles at Kingstown. He was a member of the Royal Irish Yacht Club, and was an original member of the Dublin Bay Sailing Club.

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BRITISH REVENUE.

HALF-YEAR'S EXPENDITURE AND RECEIPTS.

The British revenue for the past half-year has been £328,587,370; the total expenditure chargeable against revenue was £384,757,188. Therefore, for the half-year there was a deficit of £56,169,818. The revenue for the past quarter, £180,116,850, showed an increase of £4,697,103 compared with the corresponding quarter last year. For the half-year the revenue of £328,587,370 was an increase of £6,321,329, compared with the similar half last year.

The revenue for the corresponding period last year was £322,266,041. The total expenditure then chargeable against revenue was £383,990,051, showing a deficiency of £61,724,010.

THE QUARTER'S RECEIPTS.

During the past quarter Customs show an increase of £2,920,000, estates duty £2,810,000, and property and income tax £1,460,000. There was a decrease of £2,400,000 in super tax, and a decrease of £390,000 on the telegraph service.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimates for 1927-28. £	Increase or Decrease. £
Customs	112,120,000	+ 3,197,000
Excise	145,760,000	+ 1,782,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	24,100,000	+ 1,319,000
Estate, etc., Duties	67,800,000	+ 6,130,000
Stamps	25,500,000	+ 1,200,000
Land Tax, etc.	800,000	− 10,000
Income Tax	247,000,000	− 3,145,000
Super Tax	62,000,000	− 5,770,000
Excess Profits Duty	3,000,000	Nil.
Corporation Profits Tax	2,700,000	− 1,360,000
Post Office	62,000,000	+ 2,550,000
Crown Lands	1,050,000	+ 30,000
Interest on Loans..	23,500,000	+ 1,281,463
Miscellaneous:—		
Ordinary Receipts..	30,500,000	− 4,739,643
Special Receipts ...	27,000,000	+ 3,856,509
Total	£834,830,000	+ 6,321,329

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimates for 1927-28. £	Increase or Decrease. £
National Debt Services	370,000,000	+ 3,794,149
Road Fund	19,500,000	+ 898,537
Payments to Local Taxation	14,300,000	+ 60,675
Payments to Northern Ireland	5,400,000	− 113,745
Other Consolidated Fund Services	3,700,000	+ 156,679
Supply Services ...	420,490,000	− 4,019,158
Total	£833,390,000	+ £757,137

BIG MOTOR DUTY INCREASE.

Customs during the past half-year showed an increase of £3,197,000, Excise £1,782,000, motor vehicle duties £1,319,000. Estate duties represented an increase of £6,130,000. The postal service had the substantial increase of £2,230,000.

Whilst being lathered for a shave in a barber's shop at Horncastle, Lincolnshire, yesterday, Henry Clark, a retired farmer, aged 81, of Old Rectory, Low Toynton, was seized with a heart attack and died in the chair.

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THURSDAY, OCT. 13th, 9 to 2 o'c.: SOLDIERS' & SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY DANCE ... 10/-
FRIDAY, OCT. 14th, 8 to 12 o'c.: ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE DANCE ... 7/6
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By Order,
HEALY JEFFARES, Secretary.

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CORN EXCHANGE BUILDINGS COMPANY OF DUBLIN.
We, the undersigned, being three Directors of the said Company, do hereby summon a General Assembly of the Proprietors, to be holden at their Boardroom in said Buildings on Friday, the 7th October, 1927, at the hour of one o'clock by the clock of the Corn Exchange, being the Annual Stated General Assembly, pursuant to Charter, to receive the report of the proceedings for the past year, and also to elect nine Directors for the ensuing year, under the Amended or Supplemental Charter.
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The post of Principal will be vacant on December 31st, 1927.
The Board of Governors will proceed to appoint a Principal in October or November, 1927.
Candidates must be Graduates in Holy Orders, not over 45, with educational experience.
For conditions of appointment, application should be made to the Secretary, Church of Ireland Training College, Kildare place, Dublin.

THE DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS ACTS, 1898—1925.
REVISION OF REGISTER OF ELECTORS, 1927.
The Dublin Port and Docks Board hereby give Notice that they have caused to be printed the Register of Electors as revised and signed by the Revisor, and delivered by him to the Board, in the year 1926, and same will be affixed within the Office of the Board and open to the inspection of the Public during office hours between the 1st of October and 10th of October, both inclusive.
And they further give Notice to all Persons, Partnerships, and Bodies Corporate, whose names have not been inserted on the said List of Electors, or who may desire to have their names returned in respect of some different qualification, or for a larger number of Votes, or who may claim to be entitled to vote as a Wholesale Trader, that a statement of their claim must be delivered to the Board at their Offices, 19 Westmoreland street, Dublin, not later than four o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, the 20th day of October, 1927.
Dated this 30th day of September, 1927.
E. H. BAILEY, Secretary.
19, 20 and 21 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.
NOTICE COMPLETION OF AUDIT.
Notice is hereby given that Prionnsias MacBearnaird, Local Government Auditor, has audited the accounts of the Joint Committee of Grangegorman Mental Hospital for the half-years ended 30th September, 1925, and 31st March, 1926, and has reported to the Minister for Local Government thereon.
A copy of the Auditor's report, and the abstracts therein referred to, can be obtained at this office during office hours by any person applying for same and paying to the Joint Committee therefor the sum of sixpence.
JAMES J. DOYLE,
Chief Clerk and Accountant.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin,
September 30th, 1927.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply for a Renewal of Betting Licence and Registration of Premises, situate at St. Kieran street, Kilkenny.—VALENTINE SLATER.

I, ANTHONY SUTTON, 14 St. Bridgid's avenue, Dublin, intend to apply for Bookmaker's Licence and personal fitness.

TAKE Notice that I, JAMES HANNIGAN, am about to apply for Bookmaker's Certificate of Suitability for the premises, 68 Meath street, Dublin.

FOR CHURCH NOTICES SEE PAGE 1.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY BOARD.
SECRETARYSHIP.
THE Board invite further applications for the position of Secretary, at a salary of £750 a year.
Applications in writing, stating age and qualifications and accompanied by copies of testimonials, to be sent to the Electricity Supply Board, 33 Upper Merrion street, not later than Saturday, 8th October, 1927.
It will not be necessary for persons who have already applied to repeat their applications.
Canvassing of members of the Board, either directly or indirectly, will be held to disqualify applicants.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF IRELAND.—The National Gallery of Ireland will be Closed for Cleaning and Re-Hanging from MONDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, to SATURDAY, 29th OCTOBER, inclusive. (17/S.1620. W.H.Co.)

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REGISTER OF PURE-BRED DAIRY CATTLE.—VOLUME II.
This volume (344 pp.) contains particulars of Pure-Bred Dairy Cattle entered in the Department's Register during period from 1st January, 1921, to 31st December, 1925, with additional entries relating to animals included in Volume I. and owned by residents in the Saorstat. Copies are now available, and may be purchased through any bookseller or directly from
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One-third of the Scholarships will be reserved for candidates who are fluent speakers of Irish should a sufficient number of suitable applicants come forward. Candidates applying for these reserved Scholarships will be required to undergo a special oral test in Irish of a standard designed to test their fluency as speakers of the language. And such candidates who may not succeed in obtaining one of the reserved Scholarships will be considered as competitors for the remaining Scholarships offered.
Application for a Scholarship must be made (on Form S. 199) NOT LATER THAN THE 7th OCTOBER, 1927.
Further particulars and copies of S. 199 may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Education, Technical Instruction Branch, 64 and 65 Merrion square, S. Dublin.
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STATIONERY OFFICE, DUBLIN.
Tenders (returnable 18th October) are invited for Bookwork Printing Contracts, Groups 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, for the period 24th October, 1927, to 23rd October, 1931.
Forms of Tender will be forwarded on application.
(Signed) J. B. WHELEHAN, Controller.
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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Art Exhibition, Metropolitan School of Art, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
"His Master's Voice" Recital, Theatre Royal, 4 p.m.
Phœnix Park Races, Ashtown, 3 p.m.
Greyhound Racing, Shelbourne Park, 8 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Lady, Be Good!"
Theatre Royal—"Poor Papa."
Abbey Theatre—"The Glorious Uncertainty."
Olympia Theatre—"No, No, Not Yet."
Capitol—Pictures and Varieties.
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Circus of Life."
Metropole Cinema—"Hindle Wakes."
SUNDAY.
"His Master's Voice" Recital—Theatre Royal, 8 p.m.
Musical Pageant, St. Francis—Theatre Royal, 3.

The Irish Times.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The report of the Commission on the Relief of the Sick and Destitute Poor was issued by the Free State Ministry for Local Government yesterday.—(Page 7.)

Rathmines Urban Council, by seven votes to three, the Chairman not voting, passed a resolution protesting against the construction of a greyhound racing track at the Orchards, Harold's Cross.—(Page 3.)

The sections of the Irish Free State Industrial and Commercial Property (Protection) Act, 1927, relating to patents, designs and trade marks come into operation to-day.—(Page 7.)

It was stated at the sitting of the Inter-Departmental Committee on the Control of Traffic in the Irish Free State yesterday that there are sixty thousand licensed drivers of vehicles in the Free State.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lord Jellicoe, from the battleship Hood, yesterday witnessed the closing battle scenes in the Atlantic Fleet manœuvres off the North of Scotland. The Fleet returned to Cromarty Firth yesterday.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

The death-roll in the American tornado is now known to be 87, while 671 persons are in hospital.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Newmarket yesterday Tattoo won the Newmarket St. Leger.—(Page 10.)

At Thirsk Golden King won the North Yorkshire Nursery Plate.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were quiet. Among Industrials Art Silks were active.—(Page 4.)

The Treasury bill rate was ⅛ higher at 4⅜ per cent. Loanable credits were in better supply, and, although up to 4 per cent. was paid, the general rate was 3½ to 3¾ per cent. for loans over the night.—(Page 4.)

In Dublin the market was unsettled. After heavy dealings, Guinness Shares closed ⅜ lower at 43.—(Page 4.)

Irish Ex-Soldiers.

The plight of hundreds of British ex-Service men in the Free State demands radical relief. No reasonable fault can be found with the Free State Government, which must regard their sufferings as a detail of its large problem of poverty. The British Legion is helping them to the limit of its resources; in Dublin and throughout the country its workers and those of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society minister untiringly to the needs of ex-soldiers' families. Yet the utmost that such help can achieve is to keep these men, their wives and children, on the hither side of starvation. The only real remedy is employment—the remedy at once for physical distress, loss of hope and loss of self-respect—and the ex-Service men's search for employment in the Free State at this time is almost inevitably vain. Trade is depressed. There is the keenest demand for vacant jobs of every sort, however humble. The ex-soldier, applying for one of them, finds his military service counted but seldom as a merit and often as a disability. In England and in Northern Ireland such service is a potent testimonial. The King's Roll is held in honour, and last year, throughout Great Britain, the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society, with its 16,500 voluntary agents, found employment for 2,354 men. It becomes increasingly manifest that, if hundreds of ex-soldiers in the Free State are to remain unsubmerged, they must become self-supporting, and that, if they cannot find work at home, they must find it abroad. Schemes of assisted emigration for ex-Service men are operating across the Channel and in Northern Ireland. Through this outlet large numbers of men have found good employment as farmers and artisans in the Dominions, and have won opportunities for their children, with no forfeit of their imperial citizenship. Such schemes have been made easy and successful by the bonds of fellowship which were forged on the fields of Flanders. At present, in Australia, a "Returned Soldiers' Conference" is resisting the Labour Party's selfish policy of exclusion, and is striving for a day when British ex-Service men may go to that great Dominion in tens of thousands. The Conference, anxious to stop the influx of Southern Europeans, and to people Australia's still lonely spaces with law-abiding and disciplined citizens of the Empire, has invited Earl Haig to be the Commonwealth's guest on a visit of inquiry. Canada, too, is ready to welcome large numbers of such immigrants. We fear that very many of the Free State's unemployed ex-Service men are broken in health and could not face the enterprise of a fresh start in a distant land; but, if even forty *per cent.* of them could be helped to emigrate, with good prospects of a happy and honourable livelihood, the problem of the remainder would become more amenable to efforts of local relief. We hope that, when the new *Dáil* assembles, some of the deputies will plead for early negotiations on the subject between the Free State and British Governments. Emigration, at its best, is a poor reward for loyal service; but in this case arguments against it must be purely sentimental, and we have no right to indulge sentiment at the cost of humanity and gratitude.

The Workhouse Ward.

Early in 1925 the Government of the Free State established a Commission on the Relief of the Sick and Destitute Poor. Exhaustive evidence was taken by this body, and a voluminous report has been presented, whereof we publish a summary to-day. The Commission's recommendations are far-reaching. They are designed to substitute decency, efficiency and economy for the present conditions of wasteful overlapping, indifferent comfort and, in some cases, socially undesirable promiscuity of treatment. Some of the recommendations, perhaps, propose increased State expenditure, and they must be examined scrupulously before fresh burdens are laid on the over-weighted shoulders of the taxpayer. In the main, however, the Commission's report will commend itself to all who realise that since 1921 the administration of relief has been in a tentative or transitional stage. In that year measures of reform were initiated. Boards of Guardians were abolished, and their powers and duties were transferred to authorities appointed by the county councils. In most counties county infirmaries also were swept away. County boards of health or public assistance were set up, with county homes for the institutional relief of the aged and infirm and chronic invalids. Relief, in a word, was centralised under county, instead of rural district, authorities; and the Commission's first task was to investigate the results of centralisation.

In the main the Commission is dissatisfied with what it discovered. It was expected that the increase of outdoor relief, combined with the closing of district workhouses and the concentration of institutional relief in the county homes, would effect a big economy. No such economy has taken place, and in the very large counties hardships have been caused in the outlying districts. The county homes, moreover, have become asylums, not merely for destitute old folk and chronic invalids, but for lunatics, imbeciles, children, and unmarried and expectant mothers. "We state emphatically," the Commission says, "that the county homes are not fit and proper places for the reception of the various classes found in them." The Commission recommends that separate provision shall be made for mothers, children and mental defectives, and that "auxiliary mental hospitals" shall be established. It favours the continuance and—as we are glad to observe—the extension of the boarding-out system for children. Unhappily, orphans who are condemned to grow up in the bleak spiritual atmosphere of institutions, instead of enjoying the warmth of even foster-parents' care, are doubly handicapped in life. Other recommendations, equally laudable, are the distribution of home assistance—where it is chronically needed—by payments through the post office; the raising of the age of consent under criminal law; the introduction of motor ambulances in all rural areas, and provisions to make the poor generally aware of the relief to which they are entitled.

The most remarkable of the Commission's recommendations is the abolition of the county boards of health and the transfer of poor law relief to the county councils, working through a paid official in every county. The splendid work done by civic commissioners in Dublin and Cork has justified amply the principle of expert administration, and we have said repeatedly that this work will be crowned when temporary dictatorship yields place to restored municipal representation. By the proposed expert direction of relief large economies ought to be effected in services which hitherto have been conducted wastefully under the lax control of parochial politicians. Officers employed by the State, and with nothing to fear from local jealousies, would be able to put an end to the scandal, common in the past, of men who own substantial farms and draw old age pensions. They would be able, too, to reduce overlapping of departments and to obtain a week's work from every employé who draws a week's wages. If the Bumbles and their wasteful works were thrust forth from the machinery of relief, the saving effected would go far to pay for the execution of those other reforms which the Commission favours. Excessive emigration of the young and efficient has left Ireland with an undue burden of aged folk who have no support save the community. Turmoil, followed by distress, has increased insanity beyond measure. A poor nation, burdened thus with claims upon its charity, will be grateful for an overhaul of the whole system of relief whereby imposters, whether among public servants or the claimants for aid, will be removed with a ruthless hand.

The New Arabia.

Mr. St. J. Philby, the Central Arabian traveller, who has returned from a sojourn in the Hedjaz, comments instructively on the changing character of Arabia, so long a land of mystery. During the *régime* of King Ibn Saud, with whom the British Government recently concluded a treaty, the administration of the Hedjaz has improved enormously. A remarkable result of the coming of the motor car has been a vast increase in the number of pilgrims who travel to Mecca and Medina. In the present year 130,000 persons travelled from overseas, many of whom made the final stage of the journey by motor car—not by camel, as their fathers had made it for thirteen centuries. Only two years ago there were no cars in the country except three or four, which were reserved for the use of the royal court; next year it is expected that there will be upwards of a thousand. Even in Central Arabia motor cars have become a familiar sight. The question of a railway between Jeddah, Mecca and Medina is under consideration by the King, and wireless installations also are projected. Electric light, icing machines and other accompaniments of progress have become familiar in Mecca, but there is, as yet, no cinematograph. What would the most devout of Mohammedans, who refuse to look upon the face of a woman unveiled, think of the "close-up"? The late Miss Gertrude Bell, the intrepid traveller and administrator, whose letters were published recently, remarked that followers of the Prophet who frequent cities tend to abandon the stricter rules of the desert creed. Perhaps, strangers now can hope to visit the newer Mecca without imminent danger of death. Another hidden land is being opened up to the more adventurous motor tourist. The great heat of the coastal regions is a drawback, but those who have read "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" may be tempted by Gibbon's fascinating description of Arabia Felix.

Mr. Ryan "At Home."

Of the founding of societies intended to promote or to prevent some object, worthy or unworthy as the case may be, there is no end. Perhaps, nowhere do such organisations, subsidised by private individuals, flourish so luxuriantly as in the United States. The immense energy and zeal of Americans, when it is not employed in dollar-hunting, apparently must find an outlet in some kindred pursuit. In any other country, for instance, a citizen describing himself as "Organiser and President of the World League of Cities," would seem to enjoy a strictly Pickwickian title. Such is not the opinion of the person who actually holds the office—a lamplighter named Ryan. The Boston Tercentenary will take place in 1930. Acting entirely upon his own responsibility, the "Organiser and President of the World League of Cities" has done all that one man can do to ensure that it shall be a world event. He has occupied his leisure and his savings in the despatch of 7,300 invitations to State and municipal authorities in the five continents. Not until the Soviet Government telegraphed its readiness to send a delegation, and the German and Danish Governments requested further particulars about the function, did the general public and the higher powers begin to be aware of what was taking place. Mr. Ryan claims that, as a Bostonian, he has a perfect right to invite anybody and everybody to his home town, and who can say him nay? The Mayor of Moscow is coming, and has been asked to carry tidings of Boston "to every corner of Russia." Mr. Ryan has lighted a candle, if not a lamp, which will not easily be put out. The rulers of Boston possibly will make the best of it, and will extend the scope of the tercentenary function rather beyond the limits which they had designed. If it proves to be an unparalleled success, Mr. Ryan may claim legitimately much of the credit. In any case he has invented a method of international disorganisation which will add a new worry to the burden of modern Governments.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of York and the Princess Elizabeth have left Balmoral Castle, and are expected to return to London early this month. To-day the Duchess will visit St. Andrews, where she will attend the jubilee celebrations at St. Leonard's School for girls, and will open the new school library which has been established in the house where Mary Queen of Scots stayed at St. Andrews.

Prince Henry is visiting the Earl and Countess of Harrowby at Sandon Hall, Stafford, where the guests to meet His Royal Highness include Viscount and Viscountess Sandon, Lady Frances Ryder and Miss Rosemary Ryder, the Hon. Edith Smith, Sir Percival Heywood and Miss Hyacinth Portal.

Lord Carnegie and Lady Maud Carnegie attended the Perth Hunt balls, which were held in the County Buildings, Perth, on Thursday and last night. The Earl of Ava was among the Irish guests.

The Dowager Countess of Dunmore arrived at Southampton yesterday from New York. The Earl of Meath has returned to Chaworth House, his residence near Chertsey. Admiral of the Fleet Earl Jellicoe has left London, and has joined Countess Jellicoe in Scotland. Lady Evelyn Guinness has returned to London. Sir George and Lady Duckworth-King returned to London yesterday from the United States.

General Sir Charles Harington and Lady Harington will leave Marseilles to-day for Karachi on the ss. Mooltan, by which Sir Grimwood Mears is travelling to Bombay, Sir Frederick and Lady Rowlatt to Port Said, Sir Philip and Lady Grey-Egerton to Melbourne, and the Right Hon. Sir Adrian Knox and Lady Knox to Sydney. Lady Stratheden has left Marseilles for Shanghai.

Lady Decies has arrived at Vichy from London for a short stay. General Sir Desmond O'Callaghan has left England for a tour in Italy and will not return to London till the middle of November.

The Viscountess Craigavon, who is suffering from a heavy cold, has had to cancel several public engagements. She will be confined to the house for a few days.

The marriage of Mr. Richard Desiré Girouard and Lady Blanche Beresford, eldest daughter of the late Marquis of Waterford and Lady Osborne Beauclerk, will take place in Westminster Cathedral on Wednesday, October 26th. The wedding reception will be held at 2 Carlton Gardens, which the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire are lending for the occasion.

The marriage arranged between Vernon O'Hea Cussen, M.B., D.O. (Oxon), only son of the late Mr. John O'Hea Cussen and Mrs. Cussen, Lyndhurst, Cork, to Monica, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bergin, Abbey Villa, Kildare, will take place shortly in Dublin.

Dr. Horace Law has left 46 Merrion square for one month.

Miss Barry will be at 25 St. Stephen's Green from Tuesday next, the 4th October.

The Queen's County Hunt Ball will be held on Friday, 30th December. Music by Manahan's No. 1 Band. Catering by Mills, Dublin.—H. M. Smith, Hon. Sec., Mountmellick.

Switzers have received a new delivery of pretty Silk and Wool Jumpers with neat horizontal stripes in contrasting shade. The price is 32s. 6d. They are also showing a large selection of Wool Cardigans for Sports and House wear.

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McBirney and Co., Ltd., Aston's quay, Dublin, are this week showing some exceptionally smart models in Ladies' Coats and Millinery at attractive prices. These have only just been received, and represent the latest fashion decrees.

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PRINCE HENRY AT STAFFORD.

Prince Henry visited Stafford yesterday afternoon to open the Nurses' Home which has been erected on a site adjoining the Staffordshire General Infirmary, through the generosity of the late Mr. David Hollin, one of the oldest shoe manufacturers in the town, who bequeathed £12,000 for the purpose.

The Mayor, Alderman Richardson, extended a civic welcome to the Prince, who opened the building with a gold key handed to him by Lord Lichfield, president of the infirmary.

The Prince, in acknowledging the welcome, said that Stafford was justly proud of its record as a pioneer in hospital work, and he was particularly pleased that the new wing should be a home for nurses, who played such a vital part in securing the comfort and welfare of the patients.

LONDON LETTER.

THE PROBLEM OF TANGIER.

50 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

Little importance is attached in official circles here to the meeting between Sir Austen Chamberlain and General Primo de Rivera at Barcelona; it is considered mainly a visit of courtesy. Nevertheless, the two Ministers may take the opportunity to exchange views informally on matters affecting Great Britain and Spain, and in this connection Tangier cannot be altogether ruled out. The situation there is altogether nebulous, but it is to the interest of this country that Tangier shall not become a fortified place. It may be remembered that France and Spain have been unable to come to terms, because the former was unable to accept the demand of Spain for an increased share in the administration of the international zone.

Mr. Churchill's Plans.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer is said to be taking the national economy question seriously to heart, and he has decided to set to work much earlier than is usually the case on the estimates from the Government departments. All the spending departments are to be circularised without delay, asking for their estimates for 1928-9, with the idea that a paring down process may be inaugurated on this side of Christmas instead of afterwards. A new Cabinet Economy Committee is to be appointed, and it is expected that the result will be another sharp campaign with the axe, more particularly in the direction of reductions in the Navy and the Army.

Unemployment Insurance.

The text of the bill to amend the Unemployment Insurance Acts, which was issued to-day, proposes a number of important changes. Clause I. makes all unemployment benefit payable as a right, abolishing the discretionary power of the Minister of Labour to place restrictions on the grant. A new class of insured person is to be created—persons between eighteen and twenty-one years of age, who will pay new rates of contribution and will receive reduced benefits. A revised scale of benefits indicates that a man without dependents will receive a shilling a week less, while the rate for an adult dependent is increased from five shillings per week to seven. After a transitional period it will be a condition for the receipt of benefit that at least thirty contributions—or, in the case of disabled ex-Service men, fifteen contributions—have been paid in the two years preceding the date of the claim.

British Communists.

It is frequently remarked that the Communists make more noise than their numbers warrant, and, according to the report of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Great Britain, there is something in this view. The party has dropped one-quarter of its total membership, which is now 7,377, compared with 10,000, and regret is expressed that many members who joined during the Labour troubles of last year have since fallen away. The loss has been mainly among the miners, and the Communists, unable to give a better reason, put it down to victimisation, police intimidation and abject poverty. The general impression to be derived from the report is that not only has the membership declined, but many of those who remain in the movement are apathetic, and financial matters are causing anxiety.

Fewer Telegrams.

Wireless telegraphy and the use of the telephone seems to have brought about a decline in the use of the telegraph, and the Post Office authorities have decided that reductions must be made in the staff. The Postmaster-General has written to the Union of Post Office Workers regretting that such decreases are necessary, and pointing out that for the last few years the reduction in staff generally has not kept pace with the fall in traffic. The Postal Union authorities resent this attitude, and are inclined to place the blame on defective administration, while suggesting that the rot in the telegraph department could be stopped by the offer of a quick and trustworthy service.

London and Rome.

The Lord Mayor of London, accompanied by the Lady Mayoress and their twin daughters, left Victoria this morning on their way to Rome. The party were met at the station by the Italian Ambassador, and there was much photographing. The civic party will be given honours almost royal during their visit, and a brilliant programme has been arranged. Two complete floors of the newest hotel, the Ambassadore, have been taken for their use by Prince Potenziani, the Governor of Rome, and at night the frontage of this hotel will be brilliantly illuminated. A special railway saloon has been sent to Paris to convey the party, and on their arrival in Rome the visitors will be met by the Governor, and will be escorted to the hotel. A State visit is to be paid to Signor Mussolini, and, if it can be arranged, a visit will be made to the Vatican.

Irish Weddings.

The account of the wedding of Mr. T. J. Arnott to Miss Lettice Crompton-Roberts yesterday omitted the details of a pleasant incident. Some fifty men of the Old Comrades' Association of the 15/19 Hussars, who had been present in the church with the tenantry of Lieutenant-Colonel Crompton-Roberts, were entertained after the ceremony at 19 Portman square, where the reception took place. The bride and bridegroom went to the hall, where the party were assembled, and spent some time in conversation and in receiving the congratulations of the tenants and ex-soldiers.

Mid-November has been fixed for the wedding of the Hon. Brinsley Plunket and Miss Aileen Guinness, a granddaughter of Lord Iveagh. The wedding will take place at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, and a reception will be held afterwards at the town house of Mr. Ernest Guinness in Grosvenor place. The bridegroom is a brother of Lord Plunket, who will return from a holiday in California in time to be present at the ceremony.

The Price of Petrol.

There were rumours to-day that there is to be another cut in the price of petrol before long, in spite of the fact that American crude oil production at last shows a slight decrease. The *Evening Standard* says:—"The report is based on the rising production in Texas, which may more than make up for the restriction agreed upon in the Seminole field, and may very shortly lead to another turn in production figures. Further price cuts, of course, would bring the companies face to face with a rather serious situation, but several authorities with whom I have discussed the matter are agreed that it will take place. There seems very little likelihood of any real restriction over the whole of the American fields, and, with the new borings that are being made, it seems inevitable that before long crude oil prices will be forced down."

V.C. CHAPLAIN RESIGNS.

Last night's *London Gazette* contains the following announcement:—Royal Army Chaplains' Department—The Rev. B. H. Geary, V.C., M.A., Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, resigns his commission, 1st October, 1927, and is granted the rank of Captain.

The Rev. H. N. Bate, Canon Residentiary of Carlisle, has been nominated by the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Rectory of Hadleigh, Suffolk.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

THE EXHIBITION OF PICTURES WHICH WAS ARRANGED FOR CIVIC WEEK WILL CONTINUE OPEN UNTIL OCTOBER 15th, IN THE METROPOLITAN SCHOOL OF ART, KILDARE STREET, DAILY, 10—5.

CORN EXCHANGE BUILDINGS COMPANY OF DUBLIN.
We, the undersigned, being three Directors of the said Company, do hereby summon a General Assembly of the Proprietors, to be holden at their Boardroom in said Buildings on Friday, the 7th October, 1927, at the hour of one o'clock by the clock of the Corn Exchange, being the Annual Stated General Assembly, pursuant to Charter, to receive the report of the proceedings for the past year, and also to elect nine Directors for the ensuing year, under the Amended or Supplemental Charter.
FREDERICK H. HALL.
CHAS. H. CHAYTOR.
WILLIAM BROWN.
Dublin, 9th September, 1927.

ZENANA BIBLE & MEDICAL MISSION
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THE ANNUAL MEETING
Will (D.V.) be held
ON FRIDAY, 7th OCTOBER, 1927, at 3.30 p.m., in the
DAWSON HALL, 42 DAWSON STREET.
Chairman—PROFESSOR WILLIAM KENNEDY, T.C.D.
Speakers—THE REV. E. S. CARR, M.A.
DOCTOR ETHEL DOUGLAS,
Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal (Lucknow).
Collection. Tea 4.45 p.m.

CHURCH OF IRELAND TRAINING COLLEGE.
The post of Principal will be vacant on December 31st, 1927.
The Board of Governors will proceed to appoint a Principal in October or November, 1927.
Candidates must be Graduates in Holy Orders, not over 45, with educational experience.
For conditions of appointment, application should be made to the Secretary, Church of Ireland Training College, Kildare place, Dublin.

THE DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS ACTS, 1898—1925.
REVISION OF REGISTER OF ELECTORS, 1927.
The Dublin Port and Docks Board hereby give Notice that they have caused to be printed the Register of Electors as revised and signed by the Revisor, and delivered by him to the Board, in the year 1926, and same will be affixed within the Office of the Board and open to the inspection of the Public during office hours between the 1st of October and 10th of October, both inclusive.
And they further give Notice to all Persons, Partnerships, and Bodies Corporate, whose names have not been inserted on the said List of Electors, or who may desire to have their names returned in respect of some different qualification, or for a larger number of Votes, or who may claim to be entitled to vote as a Wholesale Trader, that a statement of their claim must be delivered to the Board at their Offices, 19 Westmoreland street, Dublin, not later than four o'clock in the afternoon of Thursday, the 20th day of October, 1927.
Dated this 30th day of September, 1927.
E. H. BAILEY, Secretary.
19, 20 and 21 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.
NOTICE COMPLETION OF AUDIT.
Notice is hereby given that Prionnsias MacBearnaird, Local Government Auditor, has audited the accounts of the Joint Committee of Grangegorman Mental Hospital for the half-years ended 30th September, 1925, and 31st March, 1926, and has reported to the Minister for Local Government thereon.
A copy of the Auditor's report, and the abstracts therein referred to, can be obtained at this office during office hours by any person applying for same and paying to the Joint Committee therefor the sum of sixpence.
JAMES J. DOYLE,
Chief Clerk and Accountant.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin,
September 30th, 1927.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to apply for a Renewal of Betting Licence and Registration of Premises, situate at St. Kieran street, Kilkenny.—VALENTINE SLATER.

I, ANTHONY SUTTON, 14 St. Bridgid's avenue, Dublin, intend to apply for Bookmaker's Licence and personal fitness.

TAKE Notice that I, JAMES HANNIGAN, am about to apply for Bookmaker's Certificate of Suitability for the premises, 68 Meath street, Dublin.

FOR CHURCH NOTICES SEE PAGE 1.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY BOARD.
SECRETARYSHIP.
THE Board invite further applications for the position of Secretary, at a salary of £750 a year.
Applications in writing, stating age and qualifications and accompanied by copies of testimonials, to be sent to the Electricity Supply Board, 33 Upper Merrion street, not later than Saturday, 8th October, 1927.
It will not be necessary for persons who have already applied to repeat their applications.
Canvassing of members of the Board, either directly or indirectly, will be held to disqualify applicants.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF IRELAND.—The National Gallery of Ireland will be Closed for Cleaning and Re-Hanging from MONDAY, 3rd OCTOBER, to SATURDAY, 29th OCTOBER, inclusive. (17/S. 1620. W.H.Co.)

AN ROINN TALMHAIOCHTA (Department of Agriculture).
REGISTER OF PURE-BRED DAIRY CATTLE.—VOLUME II.
This volume (344 pp.) contains particulars of Pure-Bred Dairy Cattle entered in the Department's Register during period from 1st January, 1921, to 31st December, 1925, with additional entries relating to animals included in Volume I. and owned by residents in the Saorstat. Copies are now available, and may be purchased through any bookseller or directly from
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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION BRANCH.
TRADE SCHOLARSHIPS, 1927.
The Department invite applications for Scholarships from persons employed in the following Industries:—
(a) Cabinet Making.
(b) Motor Engineering.
(c) Painting and Decorating.
(d) Road Carriage and Motor Body-Building.
The object of these Scholarships, which will be distributed amongst the courses in greatest demand, is to enable apprentices who have been engaged in the specified industries for a period of at least two years to obtain systematic instruction in the technology of those industries.
One-third of the Scholarships will be reserved for candidates who are fluent speakers of Irish should a sufficient number of suitable applicants come forward. Candidates applying for these reserved Scholarships will be required to undergo a special oral test in Irish of a standard designed to test their fluency as speakers of the language. And such candidates who may not succeed in obtaining one of the reserved Scholarships will be considered as competitors for the remaining Scholarships offered.
Application for a Scholarship must be made (on Form S. 199) NOT LATER THAN THE 7th OCTOBER, 1927.
Further particulars and copies of S. 199 may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Education, Technical Instruction Branch, 64 and 66 Merrion square, S. Dublin.
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STATIONERY OFFICE, DUBLIN.
Tenders (returnable 18th October) are invited for Bookwork Printing Contracts, Groups 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8, for the period 24th October, 1927, to 23rd October, 1931.
Forms of Tender will be forwarded on application.
(Signed) J. B. WHELEHAN, Controller.
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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS
Art Exhibition, Metropolitan School of Art, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
"His Master's Voice" Recital, Theatre Royal, [illegible] p.m.
Phœnix Park Races, Ashtown, 3 p.m.
Greyhound Racing, Shelbourne Park, [illegible]
Gaiety Theatre—"Lady, Be Good!" [illegible]
Theatre Royal—"Poor Papa." [illegible]
Abbey Theatre—"The Glorious Uncertainty." [illegible]
Olympia Theatre—"No, No, Not Yet." [illegible]
Capitol—Pictures and Varieties. [illegible]
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Circus of Life."
Metropole Cinema—"Hindle Wakes." [illegible]

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The report of the Commission on the Relief of the Sick and Destitute Poor was issued by the Free State Ministry for Local Government yesterday.—(Page 7.)

Rathmines Urban Council, by seven votes to three, the Chairman not voting, passed a resolution protesting against the construction of a greyhound racing track at the Orchards, Harold's Cross.—(Page 3.)

The sections of the Irish Free State Industrial and Commercial Property (Protection) Act, 1927, relating to patents, designs and trade marks come into operation to-day.—(Page 7.)

It was stated at the sitting of the Inter-Departmental Committee on the Control of Traffic in the Irish Free State yesterday that there are sixty thousand licensed drivers of vehicles in the Free State.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Lord Jellicoe, from the battleship Hood, yesterday witnessed the closing battle scenes in the Atlantic Fleet manœuvres off the North of Scotland. The Fleet returned to Cromarty Firth yesterday.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

The death-roll in the American tornado is now known to be 87, while 671 persons are in hospital.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Newmarket yesterday Tattoo won the Newmarket St. Leger.—(Page 10.)

At Thirsk Golden King won the North Yorkshire Nursery Plate.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were quiet. Among Industrials Art Silks were active.—(Page 4.)

The Treasury bill rate was ⅛ higher at 4⅜ per cent. Loanable credits were in better supply, and, although up to 4 per cent. was paid, the general rate was 3½ to 3¾ per cent. for loans over the night.—(Page 4.)

In Dublin the market was unsettled. After heavy dealings, Guinness Shares closed ⅜ lower at 43.—(Page 4.)

Irish Ex-Soldiers.

The plight of hundreds of British ex-Service men in the Free State demands radical relief. No reasonable fault can be found with the Free State Government, which must regard their sufferings as a detail of its large problem of poverty. The British Legion is helping them to the limit of its resources; in Dublin and throughout the country its workers and those of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society minister untiringly to the needs of ex-soldiers' families. Yet the utmost that such help can achieve is to keep these men, their wives and children, on the hither side of starvation. The only real remedy is employment—the remedy at once for physical distress, loss of hope and loss of self-respect—and the ex-Service men's search for employment in the Free State at this time is almost inevitably vain. Trade is depressed. There is the keenest demand for vacant jobs of every sort, however humble. The ex-soldier, applying for one of them, finds his military service counted but seldom as a merit and often as a disability. In England and in Northern Ireland such service is a potent testimonial. The King's Roll is held in honour, and last year, throughout Great Britain, the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society, with its 16,500 voluntary agents, found employment for 2,354 men. It becomes increasingly manifest that, if hundreds of ex-soldiers in the Free State are to remain unsubmerged, they must become self-supporting, and that, if they cannot find work at home, they must find it abroad. Schemes of assisted emigration for ex-Service men are operating across the Channel and in Northern Ireland. Through this outlet large numbers of men have found good employment as farmers and artisans in the Dominions, and have won opportunities for their children, with no forfeit of their imperial citizenship. Such schemes have been made easy and successful by the bonds of fellowship which were forged on the fields of Flanders. At present, in Australia, a "Returned Soldiers' Conference" is resisting the Labour Party's selfish policy of exclusion, and is striving for a day when British ex-Service men may go to that great Dominion in tens of thousands. The Conference, anxious to stop the influx of Southern Europeans, and to people Australia's still lonely spaces with law-abiding and disciplined citizens of the Empire, has invited Earl Haig to be the Commonwealth's guest on a visit of inquiry. Canada, too, is ready to welcome large numbers of such immigrants. We fear that very many of the Free State's unemployed ex-Service men are broken in health and could not face the enterprise of a fresh start in a distant land; but, if even forty *per cent.* of them could be helped to emigrate, with good prospects of a happy and honourable livelihood, the problem of the remainder would become more amenable to efforts of local relief. We hope that, when the new *Dáil* assembles, some of the deputies will plead for early negotiations on the subject between the Free State and British Governments. Emigration, at its best, is a poor reward for loyal service; but in this case arguments against it must be purely sentimental, and we have no right to indulge sentiment at the cost of humanity and gratitude.

The Workhouse Ward.

Early in 1925 the Government of the Free State established a Commission on the Relief of the Sick and Destitute Poor. Exhaustive evidence was taken by this body, and a voluminous report has been presented, whereof we publish a summary to-day. The Commission's recommendations are far-reaching. They are designed to substitute decency, efficiency and economy for the present conditions of wasteful overlapping, indifferent comfort in some cases, socially undesirable [illegible] of treatment. Some of the [illegible]ations, perhaps, propose in[illegible] [illegible]ate expenditure, and they must [illegible]ned scrupulously before fresh [illegible] are laid on the over-weighted [illegible] the taxpayer. In the main, the Commission's report will [illegible]self to all who realise that since 1921 the administration of relief has been in a tentative or transitional stage. In that year measures of reform were initiated. Boards of Guardians were abolished, and their powers and duties were transferred to authorities appointed by the county councils. In most counties county infirmaries also were swept away. County boards of health or public assistance were set up, with county homes for the institutional relief of the aged and infirm and chronic invalids. Relief, in a word, was centralised under county, instead of rural district, authorities; and the Commission's first task was to investigate the results of centralisation.

In the main the Commission is dissatisfied with what it discovered. It was expected that the increase of outdoor relief, combined with the closing of district workhouses and the concentration of institutional relief in the county homes, would effect a big economy. No such economy has taken place, and in the very large counties hardships have been caused in the outlying districts. The county homes, moreover, have become asylums, not merely for destitute old folk and chronic invalids, but for lunatics, imbeciles, children, and unmarried and expectant mothers. "We state emphatically," the Commission says, "that the county homes are not fit and proper places for the reception of the various classes found in them." The Commission recommends that separate provision shall be made for mothers, children and mental defectives, and that "auxiliary mental hospitals" shall be established. It favours the continuance and—as we are glad to observe—the extension of the boarding-out system for children. Unhappily, orphans who are condemned to grow up in the bleak spiritual atmosphere of institutions, instead of enjoying the warmth of even foster-parents' care, are doubly handicapped in life. Other recommendations, equally laudable, are the distribution of home assistance—where it is chronically needed—by payments through the post office; the raising of the age of consent under criminal law; the introduction of motor ambulances in all rural areas, and provisions to make the poor generally aware of the relief to which they are entitled.

The most remarkable of the Commission's recommendations is the abolition of the county boards of health and the transfer of poor law relief to the county councils, working through a paid official in every county. The splendid work done by civic commissioners in Dublin and Cork has justified amply the principle of expert administration, and we have said repeatedly that this work will be crowned when temporary dictatorship yields place to restored municipal representation. By the proposed expert direction of relief large economies ought to be effected in services which hitherto have been conducted wastefully under the lax control of parochial politicians. Officers employed by the State, and with nothing to fear from local jealousies, would be able to put an end to the scandal, common in the past, of men who own substantial farms and draw old age pensions. They would be able, too, to reduce overlapping of departments and to obtain a week's work from every employé who draws a week's wages. If the Bumbles and their wasteful works were thrust forth from the machinery of relief, the saving effected would go far to pay for the execution of those other reforms which the Commission favours. Excessive emigration of the young and efficient has left Ireland with an undue burden of aged folk who have no support save the community. Turmoil, followed by distress, has increased insanity beyond measure. A poor nation, burdened thus with claims upon its charity, will be grateful for an overhaul of the whole system of relief whereby imposters, whether among public servants or the claimants for aid, will be removed with a ruthless hand.

The New Arabia.

Mr. St. J. Philby, the Central Arabian traveller, who has returned from a sojourn in the Hedjaz, comments instructively on the changing character of Arabia, so long a land of mystery. During the *régime* of King Ibn Saud, with whom the British Government recently concluded a treaty, the administration of the Hedjaz has improved enormously. A remarkable result of the coming of the motor car has been a vast increase in the number of pilgrims who travel to Mecca and Medina. In the present year 130,000 persons travelled from overseas, many of whom made the final stage of the journey by motor car—not by camel, as their fathers had made it for thirteen centuries. Only two years ago there were no cars in the country except three or four, which were reserved for the use of the royal court; next year it is expected that there will be upwards of a thousand. Even in Central Arabia motor cars have become a familiar sight. The question of a railway between Jeddah, Mecca and Medina is under consideration by the King, and wireless installations also are projected. Electric light, icing machines and other accompaniments of progress have become familiar in Mecca, but there is, as yet, no cinematograph. What would the most devout of Mohammedans, who refuse to look upon the face of a woman unveiled, think of the "close-up"? The late Miss Gertrude Bell, the intrepid traveller and administrator, whose letters were published recently, remarked that followers of the Prophet who frequent cities tend to abandon the stricter rules of the desert creed. Perhaps, strangers now can hope to visit the newer Mecca without imminent danger of death. Another hidden land is being opened up to the more adventurous motor tourist. The great heat of the coastal regions is a drawback, but those who have read "The Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire" may be tempted by Gibbon's fascinating description of Arabia Felix.

Mr. Ryan "At Home."

Of the founding of societies intended to promote or to prevent some object, worthy or unworthy as the case may be, there is no end. Perhaps, nowhere do such organisations, subsidised by private individuals, flourish so luxuriantly as in the United States. The immense energy and zeal of Americans, when it is not employed in dollar-hunting, apparently must find an outlet in some kindred pursuit. In any other country, for instance, a citizen describing himself as "Organiser and President of the World League of Cities," would seem to enjoy a strictly Pickwickian title. Such is not the opinion of the person who actually holds the office—a lamplighter named Ryan. The Boston Tercentenary will take place in 1930. Acting entirely upon his own responsibility, the "Organiser and President of the World League of Cities" has done all that one man can do to ensure that it shall be a world event. He has occupied his leisure and his savings in the despatch of 7,300 invitations to State and municipal authorities in the five continents. Not until the Soviet Government telegraphed its readiness to send a delegation, and the German and Danish Governments requested further particulars about the function, did the general public and the higher powers begin to be aware of what was taking place. Mr. Ryan claims that, as a Bostonian, he has a perfect right to invite anybody and everybody to his home town, and who can say him nay? The Mayor of Moscow is coming, and has been asked to carry tidings of Boston "to every corner of Russia." Mr. Ryan has lighted a candle, if not a lamp, which will not easily be put out. The rulers of Boston possibly will make the best of it, and will extend the scope of the tercentenary function rather beyond the limits which they had designed. If it proves to be an unparalleled success, Mr. Ryan may claim legitimately much of the credit. In any case he has invented a method of international disorganisation which will add a new worry to the burden of modern Governments.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Duke and Duchess of York and the Princess Elizabeth have left Balmoral Castle, and are expected to return to London early this month. To-day the Duchess will visit St. Andrews, where she will attend the jubilee celebrations at St. Leonard's School for girls, and will open the new school library which has been established in the house where Mary Queen of Scots stayed at St. Andrews.

Prince Henry is visiting the Earl and Countess of Harrowby at Sandon Hall, Stafford, where the guests to meet His Royal Highness include Viscount and Viscountess Sandon, Lady Frances Ryder and Miss Rosemary Ryder, the Hon. Edith Smith, Sir Percival Heywood and Miss Hyacinth Portal.

Lord Carnegie and Lady Maud Carnegie attended the Perth Hunt balls, which were held in the County Buildings, Perth, on Thursday and last night. The Earl of Ava was among the Irish guests.

The Dowager Countess of Dunmore arrived at Southampton yesterday from New York.

The Earl of Meath has returned to Chaworth House, his residence near Chertsey. Admiral of the Fleet Earl Jellicoe has left London, and has joined Countess Jellicoe in Scotland.

Lady Evelyn Guinness has returned to London. Sir George and Lady Duckworth-King returned to London yesterday from the United States.

General Sir Charles Harington and Lady Harington will leave Marseilles to-day for Karachi on the ss. Mooltan, by which Sir Grimwood Mears is travelling to Bombay, Sir Frederick and Lady Rowlatt to Port Said, Sir Philip and Lady Grey-Egerton to Melbourne, and the Right Hon. Sir Adrian Knox and Lady Knox to Sydney. Lady Stratheden has left Marseilles for Shanghai.

Lady Decies has arrived at Vichy from London for a short stay. General Sir Desmond O'Callaghan has left England for a tour in Italy and will not return to London till the middle of November.

The Viscountess Craigavon, who is suffering from a heavy cold, has had to cancel several public engagements. She will be confined to the house for a few days.

The marriage of Mr. Richard Desiré Girouard and Lady Blanche Beresford, eldest daughter of the late Marquis of Waterford and Lady Osborne Beauclerk, will take place in Westminster Cathedral on Wednesday, October 26th. The wedding reception will be held at 2 Carlton Gardens, which the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire are lending for the occasion.

The marriage arranged between Vernon O'Hea Cussen, M.B., D.O. (Oxon), only son of the late Mr. John O'Hea Cussen and Mrs. Cussen, Lyndhurst, Cork, to Monica, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bergin, Abbey Villa, Kildare, will take place shortly in Dublin.

Dr. Horace Law has left 46 Merrion square for one month.

Miss Barry will be at 25 St. Stephen's Green from Tuesday next, the 4th October.

The Queen's County Hunt Ball will be held on Friday, 30th December. Music by Manahan's No. 1 Band. Catering by Mills, Dublin.—H. M. Smith, Hon. Sec., Mountmellick.

Switzers have received a new delivery of pretty Silk and Wool Jumpers with neat horizontal stripes in contrasting shade. The price is 32s. 6d. They are also showing a large selection of Wool Cardigans for Sports and House wear.

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Arrivals—Dr. M. Nolan, Harold Hart, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Callan, the Rev. A. W. R. Norton, Sir Walter S. Kinnear, K.B.E.; M. J. McGrath, P. J. Herbert, T. Bamford, Major A. J. W. Fitzmaurice, the Rev. and Mrs. P. D. Irwin, Hamil Hamelsmith, P. J. McKenna, Dr. Alfred E. Boyd.
Departures—Captain F. J. Allen, P. J. Egan, the Misses Moira and Sheila Egan, the Rev. A. J. and Mrs. Roberts, J. Plunkett, R. C. Wade, Mrs. C. H. Strong, Mrs. Jack Cunningham, Mrs. John Macavin, Miss Macavin, Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrin.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.
Arrivals—P. Tompkins, T. Poole, J. Sheridan, R. Sinnott, A. Phibbs, J. Abercrombie, J. J. Nicholls, S. Davitt, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Mill.
Departures—Sir Michael and Lady O'Loughlin, Sir G. Smith, T. Marchbank, T. Friel, Dr. R. J. Gibson Harvey, A. O. Hardy, the Rev. R. Walsh, P. Neale, W. E. Grimshaw, D. J. Lynch, T. Lynch, T. Phillpotts, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Clancy, T. Lacy.

McBirney and Co., Ltd., Aston's quay, Dublin, are this week showing some exceptionally smart models in Ladies' Coats and Millinery at attractive prices. These have only just been received, and represent the latest fashion decrees.

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PRINCE HENRY AT STAFFORD.

Prince Henry visited Stafford yesterday afternoon to open the Nurses' Home which has been erected on a site adjoining the Staffordshire General Infirmary, through the generosity of the late Mr. David Hollin, one of the oldest shoe manufacturers in the town, who bequeathed £12,000 for the purpose.

The Mayor, Alderman Richardson, extended a civic welcome to the Prince, who opened the building with a gold key handed to him by Lord Lichfield, president of the infirmary.

The Prince, in acknowledging the welcome, said that Stafford was justly proud of its record as a pioneer in hospital work, and he was particularly pleased that the new wing should be a home for nurses, who played such a vital part in securing the comfort and welfare of the patients.

LONDON LETTER.

THE PROBLEM OF TANGIER.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

Little importance is attached in official circles here to the meeting between Sir Austen Chamberlain and General Primo de Rivera at Barcelona; it is considered mainly a visit of courtesy. Nevertheless, the two Ministers may take the opportunity to exchange views informally on matters affecting Great Britain and Spain, and in this connection Tangier cannot be altogether ruled out. The situation there is altogether nebulous, but it is to the interest of this country that Tangier shall not become a fortified place. It may be remembered that France and Spain have been unable to come to terms, because the former was unable to accept the demand of Spain for an increased share in the administration of the international zone.

Mr. Churchill's Plans.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer is said to be taking the national economy question seriously to heart, and he has decided to set to work much earlier than is usually the case on the estimates from the Government departments. All the spending departments are to be circularised without delay, asking for their estimates for 1928-9, with the idea that a paring down process may be inaugurated on this side of Christmas instead of afterwards. A new Cabinet Economy Committee is to be appointed, and it is expected that the result will be another sharp campaign with the axe, more particularly in the direction of reductions in the Navy and the Army.

Unemployment Insurance.

The text of the bill to amend the Unemployment Insurance Acts, which was issued to-day, proposes a number of important changes. Clause I. makes all unemployment benefit payable as a right, abolishing the discretionary power of the Minister of Labour to place restrictions on the grant. A new class of insured person is to be created—persons between eighteen and twenty-one years of age, who will pay new rates of contribution and will receive reduced benefits. A revised scale of benefits indicates that a man without dependents will receive a shilling a week less, while the rate for an adult dependent is increased from five shillings per week to seven. After a transitional period it will be a condition for the receipt of benefit that at least [illegible] contributions—or, in the case of disabled ex-Service men, fifteen contributions—have been paid in the two years preceding the date of the claim.

British Communists.

It is frequently remarked that the Communists make more noise than their numbers warrant, and, according to the report of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Great Britain, there is something in this view. The party has dropped one-quarter of its total membership, which is now 7,377, compared with 10,000, and regret is expressed that many members who joined during the Labour troubles of last year have since fallen away. The loss has been mainly among the miners, and the Communists, unable to give a better reason, put it down to victimisation, police intimidation and abject poverty. The general [illegible] to be derived from the report [illegible] only has the membership [illegible] many of those who remain [illegible] ment are apathetic, and fina[illegible] are causing anxiety.

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Mid-November has been [illegible] wedding of the Hon. Br[illegible] and Miss Aileen Guinn[illegible] daughter of Lord Iveagh. [illegible] will take place at St. Mar[illegible] Westminster, and a recep[illegible] afterwards at the town [illegible] Ernest Guinness in Gros[illegible] bridegroom is a brother [illegible] who will return from a [illegible] fornia in time to be [illegible] ceremony.

The Price of Petro[illegible]

There were rumours [illegible] is to be another cut [illegible] before long, in [illegible] American crude oil [illegible] shows a slight decrease. The Evening Standard says:—"The report is based [illegible] the rising production in Texas, [illegible] may more than make up for the re[illegible] tion agreed upon in the Seminole [illegible] and may very shortly lead to an [illegible] turn in production figures. Further [illegible] cuts, of course, would bring the comp[illegible] face to face with a rather serious [illegible] tion, but several authorities with w[illegible] I have discussed the matter are ag[illegible] that it will take place. There seems [illegible] little likelihood of any real restric[illegible] over the whole of the American fi[illegible] and, with the new borings that are [illegible] made, it seems inevitable that before [illegible] crude oil prices will be forced dow[illegible]

V.C. CHAPLAIN RESIGNS.

Last night's *London Gazette* contains the following announcement:—Royal Army Chaplains' Department—The Rev. B. Geary, V.C., M.A., Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, resigns his commission, October, 17, and is granted the rank of Captain.

The Rev. H. N. Bate, Canon Residentiary of Carlisle, has been nominated by the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Rectory of [illegible]leigh, Suff[illegible]

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4—To inquire into the existing [illegible] in public institutions for the [illegible] and treatment of mentally defe[illegible] persons, and to advise as to whether [illegible] efficient methods can be introdu[illegible] especially as regards the care and t[illegible] of mentally defective children, [illegible] regard being had to the expense invol[illegible]

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RELIEF OF THE POOR.

FREE STATE COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

DEFECTS OF BOARDS OF HEALTH.

APPOINTMENT OF PAID MANAGERS SUGGESTED.

IMPORTANT changes in the systems under which relief is given to the poor, and provision is made for the mentally defective, are recommended by the Commission which the Free State Minister for Local Government and Public Health appointed in March, 1925.

One of its chief recommendations is—"The abolition of the Board of Health and the assumption by the County Council itself of the control of poor relief working through a paid official whom it would place in entire charge of the Poor Law services of the country, in the same manner as the general manager of a company under the control of a board of directors."

County Homes—which it is stated do not come up to the required standard of comfort—should be reserved for the aged and infirm poor and chronic invalids. Other accommodation should be provided for unmarried mothers, married mothers, children and mentally defectives, and there should be sanatoria for advanced cases of tuberculosis.

"We are in favour," the Commissioners say, "of a scheme of mothers' pensions, payable by the State. Should the Government not feel in a position to shoulder the burden of the State pensions, or to introduce a contributory pensions scheme for widows and orphans, we think it their duty to see that Boards of Health give adequate assistance."

The provision of auxiliary mental hospitals is recommended, and it is stated that "in the management of the mental hospital it should be open to the County Council, if they think fit, to act through a paid official instead of a committee." In the event of a manager being appointed, however, there should be a visiting committee.

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1—To inquire into the adequacy and suitability of schemes which have been formulated under the Local Government (Temporary Provisions) Act, 1923, and make recommendations.

2—To advise as to whether the existing law and regulations as regards home assistance require alteration towards securing that due provision is made for the sick and destitute poor in their own homes without avoidable wasteful expenditure on healthy persons who are incorrigibly idle.

3—To examine the law and administration affecting the relief of the following destitute classes and to make recommendations: (a) Widows and their children, (b) children without parents, (c) unmarried mothers and their children, (d) deserted children.

4—To inquire into the existing provision in public institutions for the care and treatment of mentally defective persons, and to advise as to whether more efficient methods can be introduced, especially as regards the care and training of mentally defective children, due regard being had to the expense involved.

5—As regards cost of relief of the destitute poor generally to inquire as to whether any change in law is desirable towards securing more equitable chargeability on local rates for persons who, having been, in fact, normally resident in one poor relief district, have become a charge upon the rates of another district.

THE CHANGES.

The report opens with a review of the changes that have taken place in the administration of the poor laws with the institution of county schemes in 1921.

Boards of Guardians have been abolished and workhouses closed as such all over the Saorstat, except in the County and City of Dublin. The county infirmaries and their committees of management have been abolished, except in Dublin, Cork, Limerick, Waterford, Kildare, Meath, Westmeath and Louth. The committees of management of all the county fever hospitals have been abolished, except in Cork.

County boards of health or county boards of public assistance have taken the place of the Boards of Guardians, one board acting for each administrative county except in the case of Cork, where there are three boards. The county boroughs of Cork and Waterford are combined with the adjoining county district of each county, respectively, in joint schemes, and the county and county borough of Limerick have separate schemes.

A county home has been established in every county board of health area except Cork for the institutional relief of the aged and infirm and chronic invalids eligible for relief. The county homes also shelter a number of lunatics, idiots, and imbeciles, children, and unmarried and expectant mothers, though a number of the county schemes do not provide that such cases shall be received.

CENTRAL HOSPITALS.

Central or county hospitals have been established in nearly all the areas administered by the boards of health and public assistance, and in addition district hospitals have been set up in most counties.

In counties where there are no central hospitals there are district hospitals. The workhouses, or parts of them, have been utilised for the new institutions set under the schemes to the following extent:—Thirty-three have been converted into county homes, including 19 which are also used in part as hospitals; 9 have been converted into county hospitals, either medical or surgical, or both; and 32 into district hospitals or fever hospitals. Fifty, some of which are wholly or partially destroyed, are not used for any poor law purpose.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

PERSONS WHO SHOULD NOT BE IN COUNTY HOMES.

The following is a summary of the principal conclusions and recommendations of the Commission:—

We recognise that very drastic and thorough action was probably necessary to break down the workhouse system, and we approve of the county schemes in so far as they have resulted in closing unnecessary workhouses and placing the poor law on a county basis.

While we are willing to concede that it was perhaps difficult to foresee what result the closing of a large number of workhouses simultaneously and the removal of all restrictions on the granting of home assistance would have on the relief of the poor, we are convinced that the schemes, both positively and in their administration have in some counties, particularly the larger where the distance from the homes and hospitals is considerable, operated prejudicially in the interests of the poor while the saving in cost has been negligible.

In the county homes we found the following classes, whether the schemes contemplated their admission or not—viz., aged and infirm of both sexes; lunatics, idiots and imbeciles of both sexes; unmarried mothers and their children, in some cases married mothers and their children, and orphan and deserted children. In a number of the homes there were cases of advanced tubercular disease and also cases of cancer.

INADEQUATE AND UNSATISFACTORY

The county homes are not fit and proper places for the reception of the various classes we have found in them, and, therefore, in so far as the schemes, either through omission to make provision for or through actual commission in bringing together these classes have conduced to that state of affairs, they must on that ground, if on no other, be deemed inadequate and unsatisfactory.

The classes that should not be retained in the county homes and for which other provisions will, therefore, have to be made are as follows:—Unmarried mothers, married mothers, children, and mental defectives.

Reserved even for the aged and infirm poor and chronic invalids, the county homes, with one or two exceptions, require much structural alteration and improvement before they can be considered as coming up to the standard of comfort required.

The blame for the present condition of the county homes does not attach wholly to those charged in recent years with the duty of attending to the necessities of the poor; but a continuance of the present conditions would be a serious blot on the schemes adopted for the purpose of improving and humanising the administration of public assistance.

We are of opinion that in some areas, notably the West Cork County district and the Counties of Clare, Galway, Kerry, Leitrim, Mayo, Tirconaill and Waterford, the provision of one central county home only for the aged and infirm has caused hardship, and auxiliary provision for these classes, or the most feeble of them, is necessary.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS.

We are in full accord with the policy of establishing, without overlapping or duplication, in the most accessible centres of population, public hospitals where the poor are likely, from the medical assistance available, to obtain modern and skilled treatment in surgery and medicine. The normal provision in each county or county health district would be one fully equipped central hospital, with district or cottage hospitals as auxiliaries where distance and population justified such auxiliaries. The nursing and domestic staff of each hospital should be adequate, and the arrangement of duties should be such as to

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BALKAN UNREST.

BOMBS AND FRONTIER INCIDENTS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
BELGRADE, Friday.

The Greek *Chargé d'Affaires*, M. Valtis, called to-day at the Foreign Office, and officially informed M. Yovanovitch, Chief of the Political Section, that the Salonika police had arrested three Bulgarian comitadjis, who were planning to commit outrages in Salonika. One of the prisoners, he stated, was arrested in a carriage containing infernal machines.

The bandits admitted that they had planned to blow up the Serbian Consulate and various buildings in the Yugoslav free zone, as well as the Franco-Serbian and Helleno-Serbian banks.

M. Yovanovitch thanked M. Valtis for his communication, and informed him that the Yugoslav Government would immediately transmit the expression of its gratitude to the Greek authorities in Salonika and Athens for having prevented a catastrophe by thwarting the criminals in the execution of their purpose.

During the dark last night a band of comitadjis attacked, with bombs, the gendarmery post at Kratova, on the Serbo-Bulgarian frontier. They were received by rifle fire, and quickly dispersed. Detachments of troops have been sent in pursuit of them.

INCIDENT AT FLORINA.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
ATHENS, Thursday.

Owing to the reported appearance in the neighbourhood of Florina of a band of fifteen men, under the Bulgarian komitajis chief, Angeloff, a flying column has been sent in pursuit. The Greek Government has instructed its *Chargé d'Affaires* at Sofia to draw the attention of the Bulgarian Government to these attempts, and to point out that the entrance of Bulgarian komitajis into Greek territory is not conducive to the cultivation of closer relations between the countries.

ESTATE DUTY IN FREE STATE.

6,328 PROPERTIES LIABLE.

The number of estates liable to estate duty in Saorstat Eireann for the year ending the 31st March, 1925, according to the second annual report of the Revenue Commissioners, just issued, is 6,328.

There are 2,234 estates not exceeding £300 in gross value; 1,066 exceeding £300, but not exceeding £500, in gross value. Estates valued up to £1,000 numbered 1,541; up to £5,000 1,088; exceeding £5,000, and up to £10,000, 225. There were 61 estates, the gross value of which was between £10,000 and £15,000, 28 between £15,000 and £20,000, 19 between £20,000 and £25,000, 18 between £25,000 and £30,000, 19 between £30,000 and £40,000, 13 from £40,000 to £50,000, three from £50,000 to £60,000, four from £60,000 to £80,000, four between £80,000 and £100,000, three from £100,000 to £150,000, and two between £150,000 and £200,000. There were no estates valued at a higher figure than £200,000.

AGRICULTURAL CREDIT.

CORPORATION REGISTERED YESTERDAY.

Under the terms of the Agricultural Credit Act, 1927, the Agricultural Credit Corporation, Limited, was formally registered in Dublin yesterday, for the purpose of giving credit to farmers and of facilitating the borrowing of money by farmers on mortgages on their farming stock.

The capital of the Corporation will be £500,000, and any shares not subscribed for by the public may be subscribed for by the Minister for Finance.

There are to be seven directors, including the chairman. Four will be elected by the shareholders, with the usual provisions for co-option to casual vacancies, and three will be nominated by the Minister, from time to time, as occasion requires. So long as the Minister holds more than 200,000 shares of the Corporation the chairman of the directors will be selected from amongst the three directors nominated by him.

As far as can be ascertained, the board of directors is not likely to be appointed until the Dail reassembles on the 11th of this month.

ALLUVIAL DIAMOND COMPETITION.

WITHHOLDING OF PREMIER OUTPUT.

Reuter's Correspondent at Johannesburg is authorised by the Premier Transvaal Diamond Mining Co., Ltd., to state that, owing to the serious decline in price of its diamonds, resulting chiefly from the large and uncontrolled output of diamonds from the Lichtenburg Alluvial Fields, which come into direct competition with the products of the Premier Company, it has, with the concurrence of the Government, arranged to withhold its diamonds from the market for the period of six months ending 31st December next.

The share of trade which would have fallen to the Premier Company during that period will be made up by the De Beers Consolidated Mines, Ltd., whose diamonds in the present state of the market have a ready sale.

It is hoped that this arrangement will, to some extent, relieve the congestion of inferior diamonds at present on the market, and tend eventually to improve prices generally.

THE MOTHERS' UNION.

It has been decided to hold the annual Conference of the Mothers' Union in Ireland at Belfast, on November 2nd and 3rd. A choral celebration will be held in St. Anne's Cathedral, when the Primate will preach. Lady Arnott, D.B.E., General President, will take the chair at the following meeting. Mrs. Lionel Crawfurd, Mothers' Union President for Lichfield Diocese, will speak on "The Religious Education of our Girls," and the Rev. Canon Garfield Williams on "The Religious Education of our Boys." The President for Down, Connor and Dromore, Mrs. Herbert Ewart, has invited the workers to an "At Home" in the Grand Central Hotel. The Duchess of Abercorn, Mothers' Union President for the Diocese of Derry and Raphoe, will preside, and Mrs. Wood Ward will deliver an address on "The Ideals and Organisation of the Mothers' Union."

AN EPIC OF THE HIMALAYAS.

RESCUE EFFORTS ON ICY HEIGHTS.

HEROIC LIEUTENANT HONOURED.

The Albert Medal has been awarded by the King to Lieutenant George Stewart Bain-Smith, Royal Artillery, "in recognition of his gallant conduct in attempting to save life on Mount Mon, above Dharmsala Cantonment, India, on June 23rd last."

A thrilling story of Lieutenant Smith's gallant act is published in last night's *London Gazette*. On June 3rd Major Minchinton, with two Gurkha companions, was descending an ice slope on a mountain in the Himalayas when, at a height of about 14,000 feet, the party lost their foothold and slid or fell some 1,000 feet on to a snow slope below. Two of the party—Major Minchinton and one of his companions—were so badly injured that they were unable to move, but the third managed to make his way to Lakka, some 3,000 feet lower, where, at 2.30 p.m., he met and informed Mr. Bain-Smith of the accident.

COURAGE SURMOUNTS GREAT OBSTACLES.

Mr. Bain-Smith, though he had no knowledge or experience of mountaineering, at once set out with a coolie to rescue Major Minchinton from his position, which he reached at 4.30 p.m., after a climb of 3,000 feet. The lieutenant had no ice axe, and was wearing smooth-soled boots, and he could only proceed across the snowfield by kicking footholds in the hard snow with his stockinged feet. The coolie who had accompanied Mr. Bain-Smith from Lakka was unable to cross the snow and remained behind.

On reaching Major Minchinton Mr. Bain-Smith made of his coat a sledge and, accompanied by the Ghurka, who was just able to move, proceeded to drag the injured man over the then freezing snow to a point some 500 feet lower.

Further progress without assistance was impossible, and Mr. Bain-Smith, therefore, descended alone across the snow slope until, after a journey of about a mile, he met with two shepherds, who accompanied him back to where the injured man lay.

Major Minchinton was lowered a further 500 feet until descent was checked by the roughness of the snow.

FAILURE OF HEROIC EFFORTS.

Mr. Bain-Smith sent one of the shepherds for more men, but he failed to return, and the lieutenant thereupon made a second journey, and, after great difficulty, found four shepherds, whom he sent back to Major Minchinton. He himself was by that time so exhausted that he could only proceed by crawling.

He found Major Minchinton struggling, and his struggles were such that, as the snow had frozen hard, he could not be moved.

Mr. Bain-Smith, after sending the injured Ghurka down with two of the men, made repeated, but unsuccessful, efforts to continue the descent.

At sunset the remaining shepherds deserted him. Mr. Bain-Smith, who was clad only in a shirt, shorts and stockings, stayed for half an hour with Major Minchinton, who was then unconscious, if not already dead. An ice-cold wind was blowing, and there were occasional hail storms, and it was obvious that nobody left exposed on the slope would survive the night. Mr. Bain-Smith, after covering Major Minchinton with his coat, descended to a fire that was seen burning below the glacier, where he found Mrs. Minchinton and a party of men, none of whom was capable of tackling the mountain side in the dark.

The first rescue party arrived at three o'clock on the following morning, and Mr. Bain-Smith escorted them to a point whence Major Minchinton's body could be seen. The lieutenant was then on the verge of collapse, and both feet were frost-bitten.

MINERAL WATERS AMALGAMATION.

FIVE DUBLIN COMPANIES CONCERNED.

We are informed that a new company is about to be registered with the object of marketing the products of the following five Dublin mineral water manufacturers:

Cantrell and Cochrane, Ltd.
A. and R. Thwaites and Co., Ltd.
Hovenden and Orr, Ltd.
Keith's Irish Mineral Waters, Ltd.
O'Brien and Co., Ltd.

It is understood that the name of the new company will be: The Mineral Waters Distributors, Ltd. Of the five concerns affected, only one is a public company.

The directors will be: Mr. L. F. Orr (Chairman), Captain Nutting, Messrs. J. E. McCormick, C. E. Stoer, and W. E. Hewitt.

FALL FROM A TRAIN.

CLERGYMAN KILLED IN FRANCE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
BOULOGNE, Friday.

At about 2 o'clock this afternoon some railwaymen, working on the Nord line, discovered the body of a man near the entrance to the Wimereux tunnel. Some hours later the identity of the dead man became known through a lady, who had travelled from Paris to Calais on the Golden Arrow boat express. She stated that the body was that of her husband, the Rev. Canon Robert Waltham Porter, Rector of Steeple Aston, Oxford.

It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Porter, who were returning from Paris, had luncheon in the restaurant car. Afterwards Mrs. Porter resumed her seat, while her husband remained in the corridor to smoke. On the arrival of the train in Calais, Mrs. Porter was unable to find her husband. She informed the railway authorities, who made inquiries along the line.

Mrs. Porter returned to Boulogne that evening and identified the body. The remains have been taken to the mortuary, pending their removal to England. It is assumed that Canon Porter fell out of the train while trying to open the window.

The judicial authorities have concluded their inquiry, and have brought in a verdict of accidental death.

SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN.

BARCELONA, Friday.

General Primo de Rivera has left for Majorca, where, it is believed, he will confer with Sir Austin Chamberlain.—(Reuter.)

TORNADO'S TOLL.

87 DEAD AND 671 IN HOSPITAL.

5,000 BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

SIX SQUARE MILES LAID WASTE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ST. LOUIS, Friday Evening.

The appalling toll of yesterday's tornado is eighty-seven known to be dead, 671 persons in hospital being treated for injuries, five thousand houses, shops and offices destroyed, and an area of six square miles devastated.

A number of the injured are in a critical condition, and portions of the area affected have still to be searched for missing inhabitants.

SCENE OF DESOLATION.

POLICE KILLED BY FALLING HOUSES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ST. LOUIS, Friday.

Further details are now available regarding yesterday afternoon's terrible tornado. Striking from the south-west, the tornado laid waste the beautiful west side section inhabited by the moderately wealthy of St. Louis.

It is estimated that more than 2,500 homes were wrecked or severely damaged, while the casualties at present are put at fifty dead and many hundreds injured.

The streets, parks, and boulevards, are clogged with fallen trees and telephone poles. Wherever the electric wires that furnished power to the trams have been broken down police have been stationed to warn off the frightened populace. Where beautiful homes had stood there now remains nothing but houses without roofs and heaps of ruins.

The fine trees which had bordered the streets have been laid low by the winds and are littering the ground. Motor-cars have been fantastically wrecked, some have been turned completely upside down, and others embedded in the walls of their owners' houses.

The police reserves were instantly called out, as well as the whole force of fire fighters who began to explore the ruins. Two policemen were killed by falling walls.

As the storm passed the sun blazed out in the midst of the clouds and the city was bathed in a curious greenish light that later gave place to a pink tint.

The police are finding themselves inadequate to cope with the situation, and the Governor has called out the State militia to protect property.

After a survey the Mayor appealed for cash contributions to assist the thousands of homeless persons, and a Citizens' Committee has been quickly organised to co-operate with the Red Cross in collecting funds.

The armoury of the National Guard has been thrown open for three thousand homeless, and several hundred members of the American Legion have volunteered for relief work.

VILLAGE IN RUINS.

TEN PERSONS INJURED.

RUDY, ARKANSAS, Thursday.

Half of this once prosperous fruit farming village now lies in ruins as the result of the hurricane which swept down upon it, injuring ten persons, one of them fatally, and crushing everything in its path.

Only the railway station, five shops and half-a-dozen dwellings, out of thirty-five which were standing this morning, remain.

ISLAND TYPHOON.

400 FAMILIES HOMELESS.

NEW YORK, Friday.

Official reports from Manila state that four hundred families were rendered homeless in the City of Baler during the recent typhoon in Luzon Island.

There were no casualties.

Most of the houses were of flimsy construction and were easily blown down.

Note.—Luzon is the largest and most populous of the Philippine Islands, and towns, including Manila, the capital.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IN ARABIA

JERUSALEM, Friday.

A slight earthquake was reported from Maan and Akaba last Sunday. It is assumed to be identical with that recorded on the same day at the Helouan Observatory.

FRENCH SENATOR DEAD.

FORMER CHAIRMAN OF SUEZ CANAL BOARD.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Friday.

The death is announced of M. Jonnart, senator, of the Pas de Calais, former Chairman of the Board of the Suez Canal Company, and late Ambassador to the Holy See.

M. Jonnart died at his home in the Boulevard St. Germain, after a brief illness. He was 69 years of age, and began his political career in 1889 with his election to the Chamber. In 1894 he became Minister of Public Works, and, six years later, went to Algeria as Governor-General, a post which he held for eleven years. The colony developed rapidly under his able direction.

M. Jonnart became Minister of Foreign Affairs in M. Briand's third Ministry (January to March, 1913), and in 1921 went to Rome as Ambassador to the Vatican, a post which he abandoned owing to ill-health.

END OF SUMMER TIME.

PUT YOUR CLOCK BACK ONE HOUR TO-NIGHT.

Summer time in the Irish Free State terminates at 3 o'clock to-morrow morning, at which hour the hands of all clocks should be put back to 2 o'clock. The public are recommended to make the necessary change before retiring on Saturday night.

END OF NAVAL MANŒUVRES.

MIDNIGHT BATTLE SCENES.

DAYLIGHT FIGHT AT HIGH SPEED.

FROM THE PRESS ASSOCIATION SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
H.M.S. IRON DUKE (FLAGSHIP THIRD BATTLE SQUADRON), Friday.

The manœuvres of the Atlantic Fleet came to an end to-day, after reaching a climax of spectacular and realistic torpedo and gunnery attacks, in which battleships, battle cruisers, destroyers and aeroplanes were engaged.

The final scenes, thrilling in the extreme, were seen by Lord Jellicoe from the Hood. Lord Jellicoe was taken on board in the Amazon, which, with the Ambuscade, is the latest type of destroyer, capable of a speed of 37 knots. He was received with the following greeting from the Revenge, the flagship of the Fleet: "Atlantic Fleet extends to you a warm welcome, and much appreciates the honour you are doing them by visiting the Fleet."

To this Lord Jellicoe replied: "Deeply appreciate your kind signal. It is a very great pleasure to join your fine Fleet."

STEAMING INTO ACTION AT MIDNIGHT.

Owing to the heaviness of wireless traffic in the ships of the Fleet during intensive manœuvring it has been impossible to send an earlier description of the encounter, shortly before midnight last night, between the battleships of the Third Battle Squadron—Iron Duke, Marlborough, Emperor of India and Benbow—manned by boys who have just left shore training ships, and the battle cruisers Hood and Renown, with the battleship Revenge. The actual encounter was over almost as soon as it had begun, but our slow cruising in the darkness, feeling cautiously for an unseen enemy—who, as cautiously, was searching for us—furnished some of the really tense moments of mimic naval warfare.

We left our anchorage outside Cromarty Firth, an imposing line of battleships and destroyers, with navigating lights twinkling faintly overhead. Then, as darkness closed down, all lights were dowsed, and we crept forward over a moonless sea, faintly illuminated by starshine. Yet, even in this faint light, we could detect the dark outline of the Marlborough, curiously foreshortened, following a quarter of a mile astern.

For some time we moved east, the lights of Lossiemouth gleaming on our starboard bow. Then we swung round, and, swinging again, steamed on a parallel course. The keen eyes of the boys sought eagerly for a glimpse of the enemy.

THE ENEMY OPENS FIRE.

In the distance a cluster of star shells flickered in the sky. Momentarily we thought it was the battle cruisers throwing out a protective barrage of light, but a little later, while the distant star shells still hovered, there was a flash of a gun to starboard, and in a few seconds a shower of flickering lights threw our entire line into strong relief.

A moment later and the penetrating gleam of a searchlight picked out the Benbow at the end of the line, and the enemy bombarded us with star shells.

Simultaneously the track of a torpedo was seen to cross our line.

In the meantime we had not been idle. The enemy was thought to have been seen before they fired their first shell, and immediately after the first shot our searchlights found them—the battle cruisers—at a distance of six thousand yards, looking astonishingly like little leaden toys in the powerful fingers of light. We opened fire, and during the brief encounter sky and sea alike were weirdly alight with quivering star shells, the stabs of gun flashes and the steady gleam of searchlights.

Then the Iron Duke and her sister ships turned north-east, at the same time discharging torpedoes, whose tracks could be seen heading directly towards the enemy.

COMPUTING THE GAINS AND LOSSES.

The battle was over. Navigation lights were switched on. All that remained as visible evidence of the encounter were a few flares tumbling in the waves, showing where the spent torpedoes were floating.

We steamed to our anchorage, leaving behind us the destroyers to act as a sort of fatigue party in retrieving torpedoes.

Until records have been completed and compared it is impossible to say which side won the first round. Strategically and tactically, the exercise had, of course, been largely pre-arranged, but there was left open a wide manœuvring margin.

On every ship officers, using highly accurate and delicate instruments, recorded the time and bearing of each manœuvre, when torpedoes and star shells were fired, and when searchlights were used. By collation and comparison there will be constructed from a body of theory what exactly would have happened had everything been real. The naval exercises are thus merely a prelude to paper work of much greater value and importance.

HIGH-SPEED DAYLIGHT BATTLE.

To-day a first-class high-speed battle, in which capital ships, cruisers, and two destroyer flotillas were engaged, was crowded into a short morning's exercises. In brilliant sunshine, but with a fresh wind and choppy seas, we left anchorage, our engines working up gradually to the maximum power. This twice-yearly trial, even though limited to an hour or so in these days of stringent fuel economy, makes the engineer commander and his staff persons of even more than usual importance.

Gradually one detected a subtle change in the rhythm of the engines, and as the revolutions reached double those of cruising speed the whole ship became a throbbing, vibrating monster, full of unusual noises. Down below the engineers stood with eyes fixed on tell-tale gauges or by an ingenious device of electric flashes computed speed and horse-power. Deeper down still sweating stokers slaved in clouds of dust to feed the insatiable furnaces, and blackened, demon-like figures laboured trimming coal in the bunkers.

The engines developed 30,000 horse-power. We drove forward, the seas washing our decks, and scuttles usually high and dry were awash with every wave. Thus it was that, steaming with every

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LATE NEWS.

UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT'S BILL.

The Times, commenting editorially upon the Government Bill for the Regulation of Unemployment Insurance, observes:—There are, of course, obvious reasons which may be urged as an excuse, and even as a justification, of the present form of the Bill. Of these, by far the most forcible is that the conditions which the Committee assumed do not yet exist. It was anticipated by Lord Blanesburgh and his colleagues that the time would have arrived by now when it would be financially possible to relieve the fund from risks to which no properly constituted insurance fund should be liable, and when the existing scheme, aided by the hoped-for revival of industry, would be paying its way. Unhappily, these expectations have not been realised. The trade of the country and the volume of unemployment are still affected by the industrial paralysis due to the coal dispute of last summer. The abnormal conditions of many years past still continue. The experience of unemployment does not warrant the expectation of an immediate entry upon a normal "trade cycle" with a six *per cent.* average of unemployment—the figure on which the Committee's actuary based his report. In the circumstances the accumulated deficit on the fund cannot be treated separately as a non-recurring liability. If the report were given complete effect at the present moment, a new liability would begin to be created. With contributions at their present level, the Unemployment Insurance Fund income and expenditure balance when the unemployment figure is about 1,030,000. The six *per cent.* rate of the actuary's report represents an unemployment total of about 700,000, and the actual rate in August was over nine *per cent.* On these grounds the Government—influenced no doubt by the representations of the Treasury—may have been reluctantly forced to the conclusion that the carrying out of the whole of the recommendation of the Committee is at present a financial responsibility which they ought not to undertake, and which the fund could not bear. It is conceivable, indeed, that they have no choice in the matter. But public opinion will undoubtedly expect from them an assurance that they still continue, as they did, to accept the principles of the report as the only sound and practical solution of the unemployment problem, and that, directly the conditions allow, they will proceed to carry the whole of its recommendations into effect.

COMMUNAL RIOT IN INDIA.

MANY HINDUS AND MOSLEMS INJURED.

The Allahabad Correspondent of *The Times* telegraphed yesterday:—During the celebrations of Ramlila, an important Hindu festival, at Dehra Dun (United Provinces), on Wednesday, serious Communal riot broke out. When the Hindu procession was passing a mosque stones were thrown from the roofs of houses, and it is alleged that a signal was given, by a Moslem at the gate, for the Mahomedans to go to prayer, although it was half an hour before prayer time. The procession, which included several thousand Hindus, carriages and six elephants, was thrown into disorder by the rush of Mahomedans towards the mosque. Fighting began between the Hindus and Mahomedans, and spread through the greater part of the city.

Mr. Mason, the district magistrate, Mr. Hamid Ali, joint magistrate, and other officials immediately went to the mosque and arrested several Mahomedans. Armed police were requisitioned and brought the disturbance under control, with the assistance of a timely downpour of rain, which damped the ardour of the fanatical mob. Further confusion was caused by the failure of the electric current, which reduced the city to darkness; but by this time a company of Gurkha sepoys had arrived and helped to restore order.

Two Hindus were killed and thirty-one persons—including both Hindus and Moslems—were injured. Yesterday shops were closed, but peace was maintained.

FIGHTING RENEWED IN CHINA.

COMMUNISTS CONTROL SWATOW.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PEKING, Thursday.

Hostilities have begun, longitude 114.25, latitude 40.35, and are likely to be serious.

The censorship will not permit transmission of full details.

The Army is marching westward. Provincial Governor Yen is the chief objective.

[Note.—The message given above has just been received in code from our Correspondent.]

SERIO-COMIC SITUATION.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT
PEKING, Friday.

Yesterday's news from Swatow indicates that the city is completely under the control of the Communist military leaders, in spite of an attack by gunboats from Canton, which was unsuccessfully launched yesterday. An extremist Labour leader has been appointed chief of the police; the manifestoes issued by the local authorities are frankly Communistic, and the intention is announced of advancing on Waichow.

A serio-comic situation exists in the former British concession in Hankow. The Director—the fourth since the signature of the O'Malley agreement—has bolted, and is accused by the local authorities of embezzling funds when previously employed at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs. Before leaving, he handed over his charge to the Municipal Council, requesting that no other appointment should be accepted during his absence.

Since his departure the British members of the Council are in the majority, being three, to two Chinese, and have a grand opportunity of reorganising the affairs of the concession if the local militarists do not thrust a new Director upon them. This will certainly be attempted, as the pickings are attractive.

THE "ROYAL SCOT."

A MISUNDERSTANDING.

Princess Victoria, who has been staying with Lord and Lady Lonsdale at Lowther Castle, Cumberland, expressed a wish to travel to London yesterday in the "Royal Scot," and had decided to drive by motor car to Carlisle to join the train. A compartment had been reserved for her, but through some misunderstanding the arrangement fell through, and the Princess drove to Appleby and joined the noon express from Carlisle to St. Pancras.

Large crowds awaited the arrival of the "Royal Scot" train at Carlisle, where yesterday Driver Stones, of London, completed this week's 5,300 miles non-stop run. The "Royal Scot" did the double journey yesterday within time.

IRISH SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS' LAND TRUST.

Sir James Brunyate, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., has been appointed Chairman of the Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust, in succession to Sir George Duckworth, C.B., F.S.A., who has resigned.

FREE STATE PATENTS.

NEW ACT IN FORCE TO-DAY.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DESIGNERS.

INVENTIONS RARELY NEW.

The Sections of the Irish Free State Industrial and Commercial Property (Protection) Act of 1927, which relate to patents, designs and trade marks, come into force to-day.

The general provisions of the Act are moulded upon, and very closely follow, the existing British law dealing with letters patent for inventions, a system that, as it exists to-day, had its birth in England.

In 1449 the first patent was granted to John Utyman, who was born in Flanders, to make coloured glass for the windows of Eton and Cambridge Colleges.

VALIDATING PATENTS.

Patents granted in London which are, or shall be, effective in England from to-day may be "validated" in the Irish Free State for the further term of 16 years, and the holders of such patents are debarred from obtaining patent protection in any other way than by validation.

For the future new patent applications may be made to Saorstat Eireann in either of two ways. The application may be accompanied by a provisional specification which will ensure a contingent effective date from which the ultimate patent will be effective. Protection obtained in this manner is known as provisional protection, and is effective for a period of nine months (ten months on payment of a fine) from the date on which the application is filed. Within this period the application must be further prosecuted by filing a complete specification containing the precise claims, definitely setting out what the inventor claims to have invented and to debar other people from doing the same thing during the lifetime of the patent.

OBJECT OF PROVISIONAL PROTECTION.

If a complete specification is not filed within the period, the provisional protection automatically lapses and cannot be revived as from the same date. The provisional protection is intended to allow inventors time either to perfect their designs, experiment with a working model, or to secure financial assistance to carry out further prosecution of the application. If, however, the inventor has completed his invention, he may file with his application a complete specification in the first instance.

When a complete specification is filed the applicant must declare whether he has filed a corresponding patent application in London for the same invention, and if he has, the Irish application and its complete accompanying specification will not be accepted until he produces a certified copy of the accepted complete specification of the English patent. Presumably the Irish Patents Office will then require him to restrict his claims to the protection afforded by the claims in the English specification, where the examiner has made a search and has caused claims to be cut down so as to exclude what has been shown to be old in the English search.

"FREE OF ANTICIPATION."

If the Irish applicant has not filed an application in London, he will be required to file a certificate made by authorised persons, setting forth that the latter have made a search for 50 years backwards through accepted British complete specifications, and that the claim put forward is free of anticipation. The Patents Office in Dublin will also make a search amongst the Irish accepted complete specifications before finally granting the Irish patent.

In view of such procedure it would appear that it would be an advantage in most cases where an Irish patent is sought to file an application in the English Office in London, and so utilise the accepted complete specification of the London application to support the Irish application. In the long run this procedure would probably be both cheaper and more likely to produce a valid Irish patent than the alternative course of having a special search made which would be hardly likely to be as exhaustive as the search made officially by the English Patent Office examiner.

INVENTIONS SELDOM NEW.

The inventor is usually firmly convinced that, as he has been in the "trade" all his life and has never seen anything like his invention in actual use, no one else has ever proposed to solve the problem that he has engaged on in any way that resembles his; and it is only after long and disappointing experience that he realises that with this, as with most other things, it is rare to find one that is really new. The inventions of to-day which have the biggest commercial success usually turn out to have been thought of by previous inventors from ten to twenty years previously, to have been patented, and then to have died except as damning proofs in a patent office examiner's files.

An invention is seldom as new as the inventor thinks it is. Pioneer inventors fail to secure commercial success from a variety of reasons, the principal of which are lack of finances, suitable machinery to make their invention sufficiently cheaply, or, more frequently, the fact that their ideas are in advance of their time; and it is commonly only the second, third, tenth, or even the twentieth inventor who

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ultimately grasps the commercial success that most inventors had in view. The last inventor, with this series of inventors in front of him, is constrained to limit his claims to a small detail, a precise combination of interacting parts, or a process of manufacture which the earlier proposals did not mention, and if the detail which he is able to claim is essential to mass production under modern conditions, he commands a success which his forerunners failed to find.

FINAL FORM OF THE SPECIFICATION.

In view of this, it is clear that it is the final form of the accepted specification, which is liable to be scrutinised, criticised and attacked from all possible angles. If the patent ever comes into the Courts, it is a matter of the utmost importance, since it is almost entirely on the wording of this document that the validity or otherwise of the patent depends, and that the alleged infringement committed by the opponent requires to be determined.

When a complete specification is filed and the Patents Office examiner finds earlier specifications, which he considers anticipate what is claimed, he returns the application, notifying these prior specifications. The applicant then has a right to amend his specification in any way that he thinks fit (but cannot introduce fresh subject matter), with a view to avoiding anticipation. It is a matter of considerable difficulty to decide how exactly the claims should be framed in order (1) to include an invention of sufficient merit to leave the patent valid; (2) to include an invention sufficiently wide for the patent to be useful in suppressing reasonably close imitations; and (3) to include merely an invention which is clear of the rights of previous patentees; and it is usually a wise course to entrust the drafting and amendment of the specification to a professional man of sufficient technical and legal knowledge and experience of patent matters.

In order not to be too discouraging, it is only right to point out that whatever the number and diversity of anticipating specifications, if an inventor can show that he has a new combination of parts which operate together to produce a new and useful result over and above the sum of results of the various parts or groups of parts considered singly, his combination may form the subject matter of a valid patent in practically any country in the world.

ALEXANDRA COLLEGE.

THE LADY ARDILAUN LECTURES.

The annual course of lectures on French History is announced to take place at Alexandra College, Dublin, on the afternoons of October 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th, at 4 o'clock, when Dr. Ernest Barker, Principal of King's College, London, will lecture on Mediæval France. The subject of Lecture 1 is "The Students: the University of Paris: Abelard to St. Thomas." The lectures, which are open to the public, will be illustrated by lantern slides.

STREET SCUFFLE.

CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER AT BLESSINGTON.

Before District Justice Price at Blessington on Thursday, Patrick Lee was charged on remand (from Bray) with the manslaughter of Edward Stephenson, Ballymore Eustace, by shoving him on September 8, in consequence of which he fell and received injuries which, it is alleged, accelerated his death some days later. Inspector Glancy prosecuted, and the accused man conducted his own defence.

Thomas Deegan gave evidence that when standing outside Peter Murphy's licensed premises in Ballymore Eustace he saw Stephenson come round the corner, when Lee asked him what he was looking at, and an argument ensued between the two about the condition of the accused man's house. Lee asked what would Stephenson do if the house fell down on him, and Stephenson replied that it did not matter a d—— if he (the accused man) were dug out of the ruins. Lee then said that he would take the deceased man to court, and, if he failed to get satisfaction there, he would take him to the river. After a few more exchanges of a heated nature, Lee caught Stephenson by the collar of the coat, pulled him towards him, and then shoved him, with the result that the deceased man fell. Lee ran away, and was pursued a few minutes later by Sergeant Higgins, who arrested him. The deceased man was removed by motor car to his house, and subsequently to the Kildare Infirmary, where he died a few days later.

The accused man was further remanded.

THE OATH IN IRELAND.

The Times publishes the following letter from Dr. Vernon Bartlet:—

"In commenting on the small effect on the recent elections in Ireland exercised by the new policy of Mr. de Valera and his party touching the oath of allegiance, on which depends their presence in the Dail, your Special Correspondent referred to 'the complete silence of the Roman Catholic Hierarchy' on the point. More recently, too, your leading article alluded to that silence as still unbroken and unexplained. Surely the issue here involved is one of far greater moment than the immediate one of a temporary balance of political parties in Ireland. For the Roman Catholic Hierarchy in such a country as Ireland stands in a peculiar degree as the recognised guardian of the public conscience in all matters affecting religion and morals, such as is any declaration of intention to palter with a solemn oath. What was the meaning of its silence, and what is its view of that declaration? Will some authoritative voice not remove all doubt in the matter?"

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LOCAL OPTION IN THE SIX COUNTIES.

BIG QUESTION IN NEXT YEAR'S ELECTION.

From Our Own Correspondent.
BELFAST, Friday.

The Temperance Party in Northern Ireland is about to enter upon another intensive campaign with the object of securing Local Option in 1929. A conference representing the leaders of the Protestant Churches in the Six Counties, the temperance organisations, and 120 temperance Orange Lodges, will be held in Belfast on the 6th October, when resolutions will be put forward demanding a measure of Local Option.

A general election will take place in Northern Ireland next year, and unless the Government has entered into some agreement with the Temperance Party before the date of the election, that party proposes to put forward candidates pledged to Local Option.

The Labour Party also is considering seriously putting the temperance question forward as one of the planks in its platform. At the last meeting of the party the Executive Committee was directed to consider the question and submit proposals. Some members of the party, including Mr. Samuel Kyle, M.P., the Labour leader in the House of Commons, are in favour of the nationalisation of the sale and distribution of liquor, but it is not improbable that the majority may favour the policy of Local Option, on the ground that it is democratic by putting control in the hands of the electors. There is, however, a large element in the party, which is opposed to the Labour Party taking any sides in the controversy.

FEAR OF BEING VOTED INTO FREE STATE.

The leaders on the Unionist side are insisting upon what they describe as the danger of splitting the Unionist Party upon the temperance question. They are pointing out that this may have the result that Northern Ireland, by a combination of parties, may be voted into the Irish Free State.

The Rev. T. M. Johnston, secretary of the Six County Temperance Conference, when interviewed, declared that there was no danger of this. He pointed out that the candidates that the Temperance Party will put forward will have to sign a pledge, not only to support Local Option, but also to maintain the present constitutional status of Northern Ireland.

"No snap vote in the Northern House of Commons," he proceeded, "can force the North into the Irish Free State, for the simple reason that such a vote would have to be approved by the Northern Senate, the Governor of Northern Ireland, the British House of Commons, the House of Lords, and then the question would have to be submitted as a direct and separate issue to the electors of Northern Ireland. That is the legal opinion we have received, and it should put an end to this bogey, which is being put forward to try to frighten the majority of the electors in Northern Ireland."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

"THE ANCIENT PULL."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—At the conference of the Association of Municipal Authorities of Ireland at Galway, on Tuesday, Mr. J. Reade, the Mayor of Kilkenny, indulged in a number of strictures on various phases of local government, especially in regard to the administration under Commissioners. Most of what he said can be dismissed as the usual effervescence of special pleaders for which conferences are more or less noticeable. There is, however, one statement of Mr. Reade which does call for comment and explanation. Speaking of the appointments under the Local Appointments Commission he said:—

"You will pardon me for believing that in these appointments the great qualification is the ancient pull. Somebody in Dublin or elsewhere knows a Minister's brother or a politician's brother-in-law, and that is a greater qualification than if the candidate had all the economic and scientific degrees of all the universities in the world."

That is a serious statement, and, if it has any foundation of fact, requires investigation. It suggests that favouritism and nepotism exercise a much more definite influence in the making of such appointments than does the fitness of those who are appointed.

It would be a matter of great regret, indeed, if a man in Mr. Reade's position should commit himself to a statement with such implications of graft and corruption unless he had some specific instances of this reprehensible practice to bring forward in substantiation of his allegations. He was speaking not merely as an ordinary member of the conference, but as the Mayor of Kilkenny, and I am sure that the citizens who placed him in that position would be interested to hear proof of what he states. It is due to himself, as well as to those upon whom he casts these reflections, to instance the specific cases upon which he bases his argument. I challenge him to produce them in order that it may be seen how far his assumptions are justified or the reverse.

Mr. Reade ought to know by this time—or at least his town clerk would inform him—that the system of appointments is such as precludes the possibility that Ministers, politicians or their brothers or brothers-in-law, or any other undesirable agency, should exercise any influence whatever in the making of such appointments, and is designed to secure that merit and fitness shall be the sole grounds of appointment. In any case, it is "up to" Mr. Reade to go a little further into the matter and inform the public how far he can justify what he stated, or whether, when he spoke of the operation of the "ancient pull," he was simply giving an exhibition of the ancient folly of talking through his hat.—Yours, etc.,

p. s. o dubgaill, t.d.

Dublin, September 30th, 1927.

DUNS SCOTUS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Sir Ernest Clarke's Notes to the King's Classics edition of "The Chronicle of Jocelin of Brakelond," page 236, show that Duns Scotus was a Scotchman:—"By the middle and end of the twelfth century the word 'Scot' had come to mean exclusively 'Scotsman.' . . In that part of the Saxon Chronicle which was compiled during the reign of King Alfred, Scot regularly means Irishman. In A.D. 903 the death is noted of Virgil, Abbot of the Scots—i.e., Irish; but this appears to be the last instance of the use of the word in the Chronicles in that sense. Between the years 924 and 1138 the word Scot occurs fourteen and Scotland twenty-six times in the Chronicle, always with the modern significance." "The Treasury of Biography" says that Duns Scotus was born in 1275. Virgil—Ferghil the Geometer—had been Abbot of Aghaboe. Professor Killen, a Presbyterian, boldly claims that Duns Scotus was born in the barony of Lecale, in the County of Down ("Ecclesiastical History of Ireland," Vol. 1, page 270); and he says that a Peter Hibernicus, who settled at Naples about 1240, was the teacher of Thomas Aquinas.—Yours, etc., "K."

Queen's County, September 30th, 1927.

DAHLIAS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Among the chief features of the Royal Horticultural Society's Autumn Show, which opened yesterday at Holland Park Hall, were the many exhibits of dahlias. It is interesting to note that this useful garden plant was introduced to Europe from Mexico in 1789, and was named in honour of Andreas Dahl, a Swedish botanist. Not until 1880 did the single varieties become popular. The first of the great collarette section were raised in France in 1899, and only some thirty years ago did the single cactus, dwarf singles and bedding types make their appearance. The strides that they have made are evidence of the utility of this garden flower for all general purposes.

Sir William Lawrence, Deputy President, at the opening of the show, said: "The dahlia was to the garden very much what a petrol pump was to the landscape." The outstanding charm of the dahlia, in my opinion, is its adaptability to town and suburban gardens and the conditions prevailing therein. They are at their best when summer bedding is on the wane and before the autumn tints are at their prime, as was amply shown during the recent Dublin Civic Week. Again, no plant affords so wide a range of colouration or stature. Dahlias may be obtained in colours ranging from the purest snow-white to almost black.

Quite a deal of interest was created at yesterday's show by the report that a "blue" dahlia was on exhibit. There is, however, no true blue as yet, the nearest being Porthos, a violet-blue decorative which has, in fact, been shown and distributed in Ireland. It should be noted that the dwarf bedding blood-red dahlia, Coltness Gem, and the single yellow dwarf, H. J. Jones, are ideal for window-boxes, as are, indeed, many others.—Yours, etc., "Botanicus."

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NAVAL MANŒUVRES

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ounce of our power, we went into action with every ounce of our strength.

A MAGNIFICENT SPECTACLE.

We had fighting with us the Battle Squadron and Second Cruiser Squadron, and opposing us our old enemies of last night, the Revenge, Hood, and Renown, and a horde of destroyers. Although they were our "enemies," we stood in admiration of the magnificent spectacle of the battle cruisers, which, though outweighing us in armaments, tore along at half as fast again as us, their high, beautifully stream-lined bows buried deep in the sea.

The light cruisers were first engaged by the main armaments of the Hood and Renown. They were, of course, hopelessly outgunned, but had the advantage of mobility, and as we watched them twisting and turning like snakes to escape the devastating fire of the fifteen-inch guns it was evident that they were exploiting this advantage to the uttermost.

Then we heard gun-fire astern and saw the Benbow, which had pretended to be a "lame duck" for the purposes of the exercise and had dropped far behind our line, engaged by the main armaments of the Revenge.

THE DARING OF THE DESTROYERS.

But we forgot the Benbow in a menace directed at ourselves. The Fifth and Sixth Destroyer Flotillas, under the mother cruiser, Centaur, launched a high-speed mass torpedo attack. In the security of knowing that it was all make-believe, we watched these matchless fragile craft. Their only weapon in self-defence is speed, but they are the most venturesome and enterprising spirits in the Navy, and so loved more than any other. They buried their noses deep in the sea, and at nearly thirty knots, raced to the attack, launching the torpedoes at a range of about six thousand yards. Theoretically we engaged them with our secondary armament of six-inch guns, but our success must be regarded as doubtful against such a number of flying targets. They turned and attacked again, and then retreated under cover of a heavy smoke screen.

This danger theoretically passed, we found ourselves immediately confronting the Revenge, who, having harassed the poor Benbow, met retribution from our heavy guns—or, at least, we hope so. She was hotly engaged with salvoes from the three remaining battleships of the squadron, and must have suffered terrible punishment.

GREAT BOYS FROM THE TRAINING SHIPS.

This ended to-day's battle, and in the evening the whole Fleet returned to Cromarty Firth. It has been a week of valuable instruction, with comparatively small interference by the weather. No section of the Fleet has done better work, more completely justified their training and demonstrated their physical fitness, than have the boys of the Battle Squadron, who, immediately after to-day's battle, set to work to remove every trace of it from the smoke-grimed guns and coal-stained decks.

Before he leaves Cromarty Lord Jellicoe will to-morrow lunch on board his old flagship.

FILMING GREAT NAVAL BATTLES.

A REALISTIC BRITISH PRODUCTION.

In films like "Ypres," "Armageddon," "Jutland," and "Zeebrugge" excellent work has been done to represent on the screen outstanding episodes in the Great War. More recently there has been shown in film production a desire to discard those fanciful stories round which war scenes were hung, and to give, as far as possible, a true picture of these war scenes and incidents in all their naked, unadulterated horror and grimness.

The efforts of the British producers in this respect are having excellent results; and how far they have succeeded in their approach to the reality can be judged by the latest production, which, under the title, "The Battles of Coronel and Falkland Islands," has been prepared by the W. and F. Film Service, Ltd., a concern which has been doing enormous service to the popularisation of British films.

In this, their latest output, which was shown to the trade at the Capitol Theatre, Dublin, yesterday, the company had the fullest assistance from the British Admiralty, who placed their battleships, naval bases, dockyards, men and munitions at the disposal of the producers. No effort was left undone to recapture the atmosphere of these naval battles, and much was accomplished, even to securing the assistance of German naval men, some of whom had served with the German Pacific Fleet which figured in those battles.

With strict adherence to the historical parts, the film follows the story of, first, the defeat of the British Fleet under the command of Admiral Craddock at Coronel. The effect of that defeat, the reception of the news in London and the retort of the British Admiralty are well presented. Then follow the commissions of the battleships Invincible and Inflexible, detailed under Admiral Sturdee, to avenge that defeat. The ceaseless toil in the Devonport Dockyard is most realistically shown, and then the departure of the vessels to the base at Falklands.

How the German Fleet approached the Island station only to find the British Fleet awaiting there is detailed with great interest; and then there follows the thrilling scenes of the pursuit by Admiral Sturdee of the fleeing German Fleet, which he overhauls and sends to the bottom of the sea after a stirring engagement.

Every effort has been made by the producers to present a true picture of these dramatic moments. First one has a picture of the activities on board the British flagship, to be followed by scenes on the German flagship. The impartiality with which the scenes have been painted is admirable. There is no longer that attempt to credit the one side with all the heroic virtues.

First, for instance, there is the action of the German admiral who will not drink the toast, "Eternal Damnation to the English Navy," but gives instead, "To a Gallant and Honourable Enemy." Then there is the salute by the German officers as the Good Hope and Monmouth sink beneath the waves with their flags still flying.

To show that heroism and devotion to a flag are not confined to any one nation, there is the splendid courage of the German Admiral, Von Spee, and his colleagues in refusing to haul down their flag, though their ships are battered beyond hope. They, too, chose to go down with colours flying. Incidents and compliments to foes presented like this tend to make the film more generally acceptable as a real effort to reproduce the scenes under review.

"The Battles of Coronel and Falkland Islands" is a highly commendable effort to put on the films with the impartial eye of the historian episodes which stirred the public imagination in those early days of the war before the struggle had become world-wide. The "sporting" manner in which credit has been distributed to friend and foe alike is not the least of the many splendid points which this great production has to recommend it.

THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

The improvement in the numbers and quality of British candidates for the Indian Civil Service last year and in 1925 is shown to be well maintained (says *The Times*) by an analysis of the results published this week. Of the 236 candidates who put their names down for India in the concurrent open examination for the Home, Indian and Colonial Services, 112 were Europeans, as compared with 93 last year and 71 in 1925.

Of the candidates who obtained the first fifty places in the I.C.S. competition, 36 are Europeans and 14 Indians. Of the 36 Europeans 16 were at Oxford, 15 at Cambridge, three at Edinburgh, and one each at Glasgow and Trinity College, Dublin. Of the 31 Oxford and Cambridge men, 21 were either scholars or exhibitioners of their colleges, and 26 took either a first or a second in their triposes.

GOVERNMENT FEMALE TYPISTS.
Open competition announced for 12th Dec., 25 vacancies (age 18-28). Last exam., Feb., 1927: 21 Successes. BEST RESULT. Oral and Correspondence Classes. SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. —(Advt.)

ASTRONOMICAL NOTES FOR OCTOBER.

HIGH TIDES: A WARNING.

From Our Astronomical Correspondent.

The Planets.

Mercury is an evening star all the month, attaining his greatest elongation on the 18th. Owing to the season of the year he will not be visible in the Northern Hemisphere to any advantage, being South of the Sun, and having, therefore, the disadvantage of the latitude. In Equatorial regions and the Southern Hemisphere his visibility will be remarkable. To see the elusive planet in the Autumn the observer must wait for a morning elongation, and emulate the early bird.

Venus is a magnificent morning star. She rises about 3.30 a.m. on the 1st and 2.30 on the 30th, and is at her greatest brilliancy on the 15th. The Moon will be in the morning sky at that time; but during the early days of the month, and again after the 24th, Venus will be the unrivalled queen of the morning sky, and will cast a strong shadow into Eastward facing windows in the darkest hour before the dawn. Her phase in the telescope will be a crescent all the month, and she will be easily visible to the naked eye after sunrise; and, indeed, all the forenoon to anyone who will take the trouble to locate her. She is in Leo, not far from the bright star Regulus. Mars is in conjunction with the Sun on the 21st, and invisible. Jupiter is the planet of the evening sky, as Venus is that of the morning. Both are near the Equator, and consequently rise nearly due East. They are almost opposite each other in Right Ascension about the middle of the month, the one rising when the other sets. One would not suppose that Venus is at present more than six times as bright as Jupiter; yet such is the case, their stellar magnitudes being 4. 3 and 2. 4, respectively.

Satellites of Jupiter and their shadows may be seen in transit across the planet at convenient hours of the evening on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 10th (when two shadows may be seen at once, those of the 1st and 4th satellites), 11th, 12th, 17th, 19th, 26th, 27th and 30th. On the evening of the 18th, at 10 p.m., the planet will be seen with but two of his train of attendants, the 3rd satellite being in transit and the 1st in eclipse. The shadow of the 3rd will not follow the satellite into view till half an hour after midnight. "Whitaker's Almanac" gives the eclipses of Jupiter's satellites, which are visible at Greenwich, for all the time that the planet is conveniently situated for observation, but does not give the transits of the satellites and their shadows. The latter, however, are much the more spectacular phenomena from the point of view of the possessor of a moderate telescope. Even a 2-inch glass, if at all good, will show the shadows of the 1st and 3rd, and possibly that of the 4th. The shadow of the 2nd is considerably less easy to see. A 3-inch glass will easily show them all.

Saturn is hardly observable, being low in the South-West at sunset. Yet, as he sets a little more than two hours after the Sun on the 1st, a glimpse of him may be caught by a diligent observer before he disappears. Uranus is still near Jupiter, though not so close as last month. The westward motion of the greater planet has widened the gap between the two to about a quarter of an hour, instead of only a few minutes. Later on Jupiter will retrace his steps, and again pass very close to Uranus.

As Uranus is close to Jupiter, so Neptune is near Venus; not, however, at all so near as in the case of the former two planets. Neptune is very close, indeed, to the bright star Regulus at the end of October. The distance separating the two objects on the 26th and 27th will be only two minutes of arc. The star and the most remote planet will be easily within even a very high-powered telescopic field. This will afford an opportunity to some observers, unprovided with equatorial mounting, of finding Neptune. As in the case of Jupiter and Uranus, the conjunction will be repeated later on, when the planet returns on his tracks, but this will not be until well into next year.

The Moon:—

First Quarter on the 4th at 2.5 a.m.
Full Moon on the 10th at 9.15 p.m.
Last Quarter on the 17th at 2.32 p.m.
New Moon on the 25th at 3.37 p.m.

The Moon will be in perigee on the 11th at 3.4 a.m. On this night, which is also the night of Full Moon, the Moon makes her nearest approach to the Earth this year. The coincidence of Full Moon with the unusually near approach will cause unusually high tides on this and the two following days. In places near the sea and low-lying lands near estuaries it will be well to be prepared for flooding. If a gale or strong winds from the South or South-East should occur at this time, the flooding may be serious. Attention to this warning in Dublin and the coast townships may save trouble.

There will be an occultation of Saturn on the 1st, but of small interest, as it will only be visible in Eastern Oceania. Easter and Pitcairn Islands will enjoy the spectacle. An occultation of the 3rd magnitude star, Lambda Sagittarii, will take place on the afternoon of the 3rd. The disappearance will take place at Greenwich at 4.43 p.m. and reappearance at 6.5. The Sun sets at 5.34, so the disappearance will be in daylight. With a telescope it should be observable. The Moon will be still in crescent phase, and the disappearance will be at the dark limb. The time will be some 10 to 15 minutes earlier in Ireland than at Greenwich. There will be other occultations during the month, but of much smaller stars. The two brilliant planets will be in conjunction with the Moon—Jupiter on the 9th at 11 a.m. and Venus on the 21st at 1 p.m. Both conjunctions will be wide and of little interest, especially that of Venus, the planet escaping the Moon by 8°.

The Sun:—

The sun-spot maximum, now supposed to be in full swing, is proving an unusual one. There have been long spells with few or no spots, followed by spasmodic outbursts, which have fizzled out just when the maximum has seemed to be beginning in earnest. As sunspots seem to be the nearest approach to weather that a body like the Sun can possess, solar weather is apparently just as uncertain a quantity as the terrestrial article. But no one knows when the maximum may come along in earnest, just as in the case of our own atmosphere.

The Stars:—

For midnight of the 1st; 11 p.m. of the 15th; 10 p.m. of the 30th.

On the meridian, looking South, are Cetus, Pisces, Andromeda, and (overhead) Cassiopeia. The Great Square of Pegasus is immediately to the West of the meridian, and most of the Western sky is blank of conspicuous stars. Due West are Cygnus and Aquila, with Lyra more to the North-West. The three bright stars, Deneb, Vega and Altair, easily attract the eye in this quarter by their superior lustre and whiteness. The last-mentioned is low down in the West, and will soon pass out of sight. The other two never set in this latitude. Fomalhaut is just setting, and is not likely to be visible unless the South-West horizon is unusually clear. A sight of a star so close to the horizon in this climate would be a sign of quickly approaching rain.

East of the meridian the sky is sparkling with the vanguard of the Winter constellations, and contrasts strongly with the dulness of the Pegasus region. Orion has just cleared the horizon. Taurus, Auriga and Perseus shine above him, with Gemini more to the North-West. Castor and Pollux arrest the eye by their vertical alignment. The Milky Way displays some of its most brilliant regions, spanning the heavens nearly from East to West. It is easily observed how all the leading brilliants cluster about the Galaxy. None of the brighter stars in sight is far removed from it, and Betelgeuse, Capella and the stars of Perseus, Cassiopeia, Cygnus and Aquila are deeply involved in it. This is the result of the shape of our stellar system, which is actually one of the Spiral Nebulæ, and, like them, a thin flat disc of spiral structure, with a fairly thick central boss, but trailing off to a thin sharp edge. When we look at the Milky Way we are looking in the direction of this drawn-out narrow edge, and our line of sight traverses some 150,000 light-years of star-strewn space. Looking in a direction at right angles to this, we look through less than a tenth of this distance before encountering vacant space. Northwards, below the Pole, are the Great Bear, with his lesser counterpart, and some of the long-drawn length of Draco.

Meteors:—

The principal shower to be looked for this month is the Orionids, from the 16th to the 22nd. It is not an abundant shower, but the individual meteors are usually bright and conspicuous.

W. F. A. Ellison.

Armagh Observatory.

Astronomical Telescopes.—Dixon and Hempenstall, State Opticians, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

ROSSE COLLEGE, STEPHEN'S GREEN. Last year's Successes include 17 Bank of Ireland, 15 National Bank, and 8 Munster and Leinster Bank Clerkships.—(Advt.)

SCHNEIDER CUP VICTORS

TO BE WELCOMED TO-DAY AT CROYDON.

Elaborate precautions are being taken by the authorities at Croydon to ensure that the scenes which marred Colonel Lindberg's arrival will not be repeated in the homecoming to-day of the team which won the Schneider Cup. Large forces of police will be on duty to control the crowd. The members of the British team are—Air Vice-Marshal F. R. Scarlett, Squadron Leader L. H. Slatter, Flight Lieutenant S. N. Webster, Flight Lieutenant O. E. Worsley, Flight Lieutenant S. M. Kinkead, and Flying Officer H. Schofield.

The team will be officially welcomed on its arrival by a delegation from the Air Ministry. Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for Air, will not be able to be present, as he is acting as Minister-in-Attendance on the King at Balmoral. Sir Philip Sassoon, Under Secretary for Air, will head the delegation. He will fly to Croydon in the Fairey 3F., in which he flew to Venice to see the Schneider Cup Race. The team will also be welcomed by representatives of the Air Council, by Air-Marshal Sir John Salmond, and other senior officers of the Royal Air Force. The members of the Cabinet have been invited to be present, but it is not known how many of them will be able to attend.

ITALIAN LITERATURE.

THE INFLUENCE OF ST. FRANCIS.

Mr. J. J. Hogan, M.A., delivered an address yesterday in the Aula Maxima of University College, 86 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, on "St. Francis in Italian Literature." Dr. Coffey, President of University College, occupied the chair.

Mr. Hogan said that before the Franciscan period there was much destruction and semi-barbarism in the world. St. Francis cried, "I am the herald of the Mighty King," and it was as a herald that St. Francis seized the imagination of the people. What was called the mediæval revival in arts and literature in the thirteenth century was in large measure due to the influence of St. Francis. He showed the men of his time what was essential; he made men realise more vividly than they had hitherto done that the essential thing in the world was the contact between the individual soul and God.

The Franciscan movement had inspired the arts. St. Francis was a poet, and he had a quick imagination, an extraordinarily dramatic mind, with literary taste and culture. His "Canticle of the Sun" was a poem of incomparable beauty and symbolism. Towards the end of his life, when he was suffering pain and sickness and was nearly blind, alone in his cell, he sent for the brothers, and, having walked out in the sun, he came back and sang the Canticle, which was then and there taken down. That Canticle had always struck historians by its freshness and pictorial beauty. There had been nothing like it before in the Middle Ages. Besides its originality, there was a great deal in it that was old and traditional. St. Francis was creating a new world, but its material and matter and form came from the oldest traditions of the Church. He concentrated all the experience of an active life. He loved God's creatures for themselves. He called on the sun to praise the Lord; he spoke to the birds, and called on his sister grasshopper to praise God.

LATIN HYMNS.

The Franciscans preached not in a literary manner, but plainly and freely, and this preaching was supposed to have had some influence in the development of the drama. Where they felt the Franciscan influence most was in the vernacular poetry. The twelfth and thirteenth centuries were the ages in which Latin hymns were written, but they were partly overlapped by the vernacular languages of Europe in the succeeding century. All that was due to the coming of the Franciscans. The Franciscan note could easily be traced in the vernacular poetry of the thirteenth and fourteenth centuries. Dante owed a great deal to St. Francis, although they had not known each other, because the saint was dead nearly fifty years before the author of the Divine Comedy was born. It had been justly said, "No St. Francis, no Dante!" The saint formed a considerable part of Dante's world.

The main stream of Italian poetry began in the Universities, and scholasticism and Italian poets had been learned men to an extent unknown in other countries. After Dante, St. Francis was not again worthily treated in Italian literature. The equilibrium that had been in Dante changed, and St. Francis to some extent fell out of it, but the members of the Order did not forget him. The nineteenth century had little to say of St. Francis. Italian saints were neglected while Italy's political heritage was exploited, but the recent Franciscan centenary was celebrated as much as was the centenary of Dante; and there was a sense of reconciliation between the temporal and the Spiritual that was lacking before, and St. Francis was now regarded as a national hero.

THE VOTE OF THANKS.

The Rev. Canon Cronin, P.P., proposing a vote of thanks to the lecturer, quoted some characteristic stories of the Saint, showing his great love for birds and beasts, and how they all seemed to be in some degree obedient to his will.

The Rev. Father Gregory, O.F.M., seconded, and Professor Donovan supported the motion, which was passed with acclamation.

The Rev. Father H. Quinn, on behalf of the Franciscan community in Ireland, tendered thanks to Dr. Coffey and the College authorities for having given the use of the hall for the lectures during the week. He thanked Dr. Coffey especially for the choice that he had made of lectures, and also for having, at much inconvenience to himself, presided at the lectures.

PEDIGREE SHEEP.

SHOW AND SALE IN BELFAST.

There was a fine show of pedigree rams and ram lambs at the annual show of Messrs. John Robson, Ltd., Stewart street, Belfast, yesterday. Mr. James O'Hare, of Dromara, was the judge, and he had a difficult task.

In the class for Border Leicester rams of any age Mr. R. W. Bell received first prize for a magnificent type of the breed. Mr. James Weir was second, and Mr. James Peake third. Mr James Gibson was reserved.

The first prize in the second class for ram lambs was won by Mr. Thomas Rush, Mr. A. J. Kelly being second, and Mr. J. Moore third. Mr. Joseph Minnis was reserved.

The ewe lamb class, instituted at the last minute, was won by Mr. A. J. Kelly, Mr. A. Adams being second, and Mr. A. J. Kelly third.

Mr. Thomas Rush's ram was made champion of the yard and received the champion price of the yard.

THE SALES.

The following is a list of the principal sales effected:—

Mr. R. W. Bell sold to Mr. McCartan at 10 gns.

Mr. James Weir to Mr. James Quinn at 10½ gns.

Mr. J. Gibson to Mr. Anderson at 9 gns.

Mr. J. Peake to Mr. A. Caughey at 7 gns.

Mr. T. Rush to Mr. G. Wilson at 12 gns.

Mr. J. Moore to Mr. W. R. Creswell, J.P., at 11 gns.

Mr. D. Hooke to Mr. J. McGiffert at 9½ gns.

Mr. W. McCoubrey to Mr. Newell at 7½ gns.

Mr. J. Minnis to Mr. J. Weir at 7 gns.

Mr. A. J. Kelly to Mr. O'Hare at 5½ gns.

Mr. J. McRobert, J.P., of Rademon, Crossgar, acted as chief steward.

The sale generally for rams and ram lambs was a good trade for good sheep, but difficulty was experienced in cashing any inferior sheep. The sale for breeding and store sheep was one of the largest this season. Exceptionally good ewes were in the market, and good sales were effected. Black face (uncrossed) ewes made up to 50s.; cross ewes, 42s. 6d.; cross-bred ewes made up to 60s., and cross-bred lambs up to 45s.

PIG PRICES.

There was a very large show of fat pigs and a very fair trade was experienced. Fat pigs made up to 60s. per live cwt. A large show of store pigs met a very fair trade, suckers making up to 40s. and brood sows to 10 gns

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

City of Dublin Y.M.C.A., Lower Abbey street.—5 to 6, Bible Class. Special address by Mr. J. M'Alpine. 8.30, Gospel Meeting. Open to all. Testimonies by Y.M.C.A. members. Boys' Department—5 to 6, Bible Class. Special address by Captain R. Wallis. All boys between 13 and 18 heartily welcome.

Rathmines.—Saturday, 7.30, Prayer Bond. Sunday, 8.30, Evangelistic Service. Speaker, Mr. H. A.

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

St. Patrick's Cathedral.—Holy Communion, 8 and 9.15, in Irish. Matins, 11.15. Psalms 65, 67; Te Deum, Jubilate (Stanford in A). Processional Hymn 318: "To God, the mighty Lord"; "Achieved in the glorious work" (Haydn). Hymn 329: "To Thee, O Lord, our hearts we raise." Preacher—The Very Rev. H. C. Lyster, B.D., Prebendary of St. Audoen. Holy Communion (Choral), 12.15 p.m. Offerings for the Dublin University Missions in Fukien and Chota Nagpur. Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria (Stanford in A). Offertory—4, Stainer. 3.15—Cantoris Week. Psalm 147. Magn., N.Dim. (Coleridge-Taylor in F). Processional Hymn 378: "Praise, O praise our God and King." 1st—"Saviour, Breathe an evening blessing" (Martin). Hymn 330: "We plough the fields." And—"O Lord, Thou hast overthrown"; "Thanks be to God" (Elijah) (Mendelssohn). Preacher—The Very Rev. H. C. Lyster, B.D., Prebendary of St. Audoen.

Christ Church Cathedral.—11.0, Matins; Processional Hymn 483; Te Deum, Dykes in F.; Psalm 9; Benedictus, Dykes in F.; Introit, "Teach me, O Lord," Attwood. 11.40, Holy Communion, Merbecke. Preacher, Rev. Canon Monk Gibbon, M.A.; Hymns 351, 202. 3.30, Evensong; Processional Hymn 486; Magn. and Nunc Dim., Noble in B minor; Psalms 12-13; Anthem, "Out of the deep," Hutton; Hymn 350; Recessional Hymn 58.

College of St. Columba.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Te Deum, Hopkins in G; Benedictus, Adlam in E flat; Anthem, "Then round about the starry Throne" (Handel); Hymn, "Angel-voices ever singing." Rev. the Warden. 7.30, Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Adlam in G; Anthem, "Comes at times" (Oakeley); Hymn, "Ye holy angels bright."

St. Matthias's Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. Gordon J. Walshe, Bishop Designate of Hokaido.

St. Ann's Church.—8, 10, 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Crozier. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Canon Crozier.

Christ Church, Leeson Park.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. A. E. Hughes. 3.30 and 7, Rev. W. Bell.

St. Columba's Church, Ranelagh.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. Bell. 7, Rev. N. H. Hamilton.

Rathmines Parish Church.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 10 and 11.30, Rev. E. C. Hodges. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. N. L. Roberts.

Magdalen Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Rev. W. T. Grey. 7, Rev. J. F. Moncrieff Cox.

St. Andrew's Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Rev. W. J. Hanan.

St. Stephen's.—7.15 and 8, Holy Communion. 10, Matins and Sermon. 11.30, Matins, Sermon and Holy Communion. Te Deum and Benedictus, Dykes in F; Hymns 200, 390, 204. 4, Children's Service. 7, Evensong and Sermon. Service, Garrett in D; Hymns 199, 428, 517. Short organ recital after Evensong.

St. Bartholomew's Church, Clyde road.—8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins; Te Deum, Smart in F; Benedictus, Parry in D. Rev. Dallas Ennis, C.F. 12, Procession and Sung Eucharist, Williams and Monk Gould. 3.30, Young People's Service. Rev. Dallas Ennis. 6.30, Litany. 7, Evensong, Maunder in C. Rev. Dallas Ennis (Michaelmas Mission of Service).

St. Thomas's.—11.30, Dean Coulter. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. D. H. Hall.

St. Barnabas's.—11.30 and 4, Rev. D. H. Hall. 7, Dean Coulter.

St. Kevin's, S.C. road.—11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. J. T. Cummins. 7, Rev. R. Bird

Church of the Female Orphanage, N.C. road.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, A. E. Gick.

St. Peter's.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. Rev. J. Tobias. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. C. J. Burrows.

St. Audoen's.—11.30, Rev. C. J. Burrows. 7, Rev. J. Tobias.

Mission to the Deaf, the Gregg Hall.—3.30, Rev. F. A. Elliott.

St. Mark's Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. H. W. Donald.

St. Michan's.—Closed for painting.

St. Paul's.—11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. E. J. Young.

Molyneux Church, Bride street.—11.30, Morning Service and Holy Communion. 7, Rev. A. Morrow.

St. George's Parish Church.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. A. V. Kennedy. 7, Rev. H. G. Forde.

St. Aidan's.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. H. G. Forde. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. O. A. Crawford Irwin.

St. Augustine's.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. H. S. Higginbotham. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. H. A. V. Kennedy.

The Free Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. O. A. Crawford Irwin. 7, Rev. H. S. Higginbotham.

Irish Church Missions, Townsend street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Weinberger.

St. Catherine's.—11.30, Rev. J. P. Shortt. 7, Canon Thompson.

St. Victor's.—8 and 11.30, Canon Thompson. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. P. Shortt.

St. Werburgh's Parish Church.—11.15 and 3.30, Rev. W. J. McCreery. 7, Rev. C. F. Allen.

Drumcondra.—12, the Archdeacon of Kildare. 4, Children's Gift Service; Rev. J. H. Ruby. 7, Rev. John Powell.

North Strand.—11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. T. J. Johnston. 3.30, Children's Service; Mr. J. B. S. McGinley. 7, Rev. J. T. Cummins.

St. James's Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. E. M. Bateman. 7, Rev. P. Colthurst.

St. James's District Church.—11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 3.30, Rev. P. Colthurst. 7, Rev. E. M. Bateman.

St. Mary's Parish Church.—10 and 7 (Holy Communion). Rev. Gage Dougherty.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease.—11.30, Rev. Gage Dougherty. 3.30; For children and young people.

St. Jude's Church.—11.30, Morning Prayer. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. P. W. Coster.

St. Luke's Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. T. H. Scale.

Rathfarnham Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

St. Mary's, Crumlin.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

Kenure Church, Rush.—10, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 4.30, Evening Prayer; Rev. A. B. R. Norton.

St. MacCullin's Church, Lusk.—12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. A. B. R. Norton

St. John's, Monkstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Canon Newport White. 3.30, Children's Fruit and Flower Service; 7, Rev. A. D. Hughes.

Tallow Parish Church, Carrickmines.—11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. 6.30, Canon Somerville-Large at both.

Sandford Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. F. R. Willis. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. W. N. Harvey.

Christ Church, Kingstown.—8.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer.

Clontarf Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Archdeacon Lindsay. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. H. C. Cave.

Crinken, Bray.—11.30, Rev. G. J. Walsh, Bishop-Designate of Hokkaido, Japan. 6.15, Canon W. Baillie.

All Saints' Church, Blackrock.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. 7, Evensong.

St. Laurence's, Chapelizod.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, Rev. J. E. L. Oulton.

Mariners' Church, Kingstown.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Canon Chamberlain. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. J. Forde Leathley.

St. Philip's Church, Milltown.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 7, Evening Prayer.

Harold's Cross Parish Church.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer.

SS. Philip and James, Booterstown.—8.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. Popham Hosford. 7, Rev. Popham Hosford.

St. Andrew's, Malahide.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. 6.30, Evening Prayer.

St. Doulagh's, Malahide.—10, Morning Prayer.

St. Marnock's, Portmarnock.—3.30, Evening Prayer.

Christ Church, Blackrock.—11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. George R. Elliott. 7, Rev. George R. Elliott.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

Abbey Church, Rutland square.—11.45 and 7, Rev. J. C. Breakey.

Adelaide road.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. Hanna.

St. Andrew's, Blackrock.—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Rev. J. Snowdon

St. Andrew's, Bray.—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Dr. E. J. McKee.

Chapelizod.—4.30, Rev. J. M'Caughey.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. A. Morrow.

Donore.—11.30 and 7, Rev. G. T. C. Clements.

Greystones.—11.30 and 7, Dr. T. J. Irwin.

Howth.—11.30 and 7, Rev. A. Gailey.

Kingstown.—11.30 (Communion), Rev. F. S. Gardiner. 7, Rev. Dr. Osborne.

Lucan.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. M'Caughey.

Malahide.—4, Rev. J. Gailey.

Ormond quay.—12 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

Rathgar (Christ Church).—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Rev. J. J. Macaulay.

Sandymount.—11.30 (Communion) and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

Scots Church, Lower Abbey street.—12 noon and 7, Rev. A. H. Macpherson

Dublin Presbytery's City Mission.—Whitefriar street Hall, 6; Whitefriar street.—3, Sabbath School. 4.30, Evangelistic Service, Mr. Logan.

North Strand Hall.—8.15 p.m., Evangelistic Service, Mr. Logan.

Presbyterian Mission (Covenanters), 9 Anglesea street.—The usual weekly meeting for Bible study will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Leader, T. F. Adams.

Welsh Church, Talbot street.—English Services, 11.30 and 6.30; Mr. J. Lyons Egan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

St. Stephen's Green, S.—11.30, Rev. W. R. Budd. 7, Rev. H. H. Cornish.

Kingsland Park.—11.30, Rev. W. W. Hutchinson. 7, Rev. W. B. Lumley.

Dolphin's Barn.—11.30, Rev. H. H. Cornish. 7, Mr. John Smyth.

Abbey street.—11.30, Rev. W. M. Graham. 7, Rev. A. Harbinson.

Clonliffe.—11.30, Rev. A. Harbinson. 7, Rev. W. M. Graham.

Blackhall Place.—11.30, Mr. W. Hassell. 7, Rev. J. D. Foster.

Inchicore.—11.30, Rev. Ivan Jones. 7, Rev. J. W. R. Campbell.

Lucan.—11.30, Rev. J. D. Foster. 7, Rev. Ivan Jones.

Sandymount.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. England.

Ringsend.—11.30 and 7, Rev. W. L. Cooke.

Clontarf.—11.30 and 7, Rev. C. H. Macartney Clayton.

Blackrock.—11.30, Rev. J. Wesley Allen. 7, Rev. R. J. Elliott.

Sutton.—11.30 (Sacrament of Lord's Supper) and 7, Dr. Carrothers.

Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Richard Green (Sacrament).

Dalkey.—11.30, Rev. S. T. Boyd. 7, Rev. J. Wesley Allen.

Kingstown.—11.30, Rev. Robert J. Elliott. 7, Rev. William W. Hutchinson.

Charleston Road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. H. M. Watson.

Brighton Road.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. A. Duke.

Blackrock.—11.30, Rev. J. W. Allen. 7, Rev. R. J. Elliott.

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

Moravian Church, Lower Kevin street.—11.30, Rev. J. E. Hutton.

Congregational Church, York street.—11.30, Rev. J. Bruce Wallace.

Kilmainham Congregational Church.—11.30, Rev. Philip Davis. 7, Mr. H. Patterson.

Kingstown Congregational Church.—Mr. T. A. Brunker. 7, Mr. H. Hunter (Student).

Baptist Church, Harcourt street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. D. Gilmore.

Baptist Tabernacle, Kingstown.—11.30, Mr. A. W. Tweedall. 7, Mr. R. Wilkinson.

Religious Society of Friends.—6 Eustace street, Dublin, 11; Monkstown 11; Churchtown, 11; Bray, 11.30; 83a Rathmines road, 11 and 7.

Merrion Hall.—12 and 7, Mr. John M'Alpine.

Grosvenor Hall, Rathgar.—10.15, Sunday School. 7, Mr. G. M'Donald.

Dublin Central Mission George's Hall, South Great George's street.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Lindsay H. Cullen (Harvest Services). 4, Meeting for Men, Sir Henry M'Laughlin.

Fairview Hall.—12 Mr. J. Clarke. 7, Mr. S. Cochran.

Ringsend Mission Hall and Y.M.C.A., Pigeonhouse road.—4, Mr. W. T. Callaghan. Monday, 8, Y.W. and Y.M.C.A. Bible Classes. Address by Mr. F. Whittaker.

Sydney Hall, Blackrock.—7, Mr. Geo. McDonald, junior.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Dublin, a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., 35 Molesworth street.—Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, same address, is open to the public daily from 11 a.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Rathmines, is Branch Church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.—Services—Sundays, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Church Buildings, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

A party of boys who are to take up work under the Queensland Government Farm Apprenticeship Scheme are leaving England to-day by the R.M.S. Ormonde. Sir Granville Ryrie, High Commissioner for Australia, said a few farewell words to them yesterday at Australia House.

A Shilling a day saved will produce £101 in 5 years if invested in State Guaranteed Savings Certificates. You can get your money any time if needed. Sold at all Banks and Post Offices.

U.S. MARKETS.

GENERAL ADVANCES.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)
NEW YORK, Friday.

Stocks opened strong. Relief from the recent pessimism created by fears that the brokers' loans would show a large increase in consequence of the gigantic financing involved in adjusting contracts in General Motors new shares caused an outburst of enthusiastic buying when the statement revealed only 22,000,000 dollars increase. Investment orders for dividend-paying issues, and buying by shorts who had large outstanding commitments, promoted general advances of 3 to 5 points. High-priced shares rose buoyantly, Canadian-Pacific, Du-Pont, Houston Oil, International Silver, Commercial Solvents, Case Threshing Machine, and Pittsburgh West Virginia gaining 5 to 8 points. Numerous high "records" for the year were registered, Erie touching 69⅞, the highest price in the history of the road. The market closed strong. Government Bonds quiet; Railroad Bonds easy. The day's sales totalled 2,377,000 shares.

Money on call closed firm at 4 p.c. bid and 4¼ p.c. asked. All business was done at 4 p.c. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ⅛c. lower at 55⅞c.

	Fri.	Thur.
Call Money	4b. 4¼a	4b. 4¼a
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.82 9/16	4.82 9/16
Do do Demand Bills.	4.86 1/16	4.86 1/16
Cable Transfers	4.86 9/16	4.86 9/16
Do Montreal	4.86	4.85⅞
Exchange Paris cable	3.92⅝	3.92½

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Fri.	Thur
[illegible]	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	192¼	189¾
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	105	102¼
[illegible]	Baltimore and Ohio	121½	119⅞
[illegible]	Canadian Pacific	193	186½
18	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	17½	17
[illegible]	Chicago and North West	96	93½
[illegible]	Erie Shares	69⅜	64¾
[illegible]	Erie 1st Preferred	63⅞	61¾
[illegible]	Illinois Central	136⅝	134⅝
[illegible]	Louisville and Nashville	155½	153
[illegible]	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	47⅛	45¾
[illegible]	Missouri Pacific New	55¾	54⅝
173	New York C'tral & Hudson R.	168⅝†	166⅞
[illegible]	Norfolk and West Com.	190	188¼
[illegible]	Northern Pacific Com.	95†	95
[illegible]	Pennsylvania Shares	67	66⅜
[illegible]	Reading Shares	116½	114⅝
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	41½	45½
[illegible]	Southern Pacific	121½	121
[illegible]	Southern Railway	132⅞	131⅞
[illegible]	Union Pacific	190¼	188½
[illegible]	Do. Pref. ‡	81⅝	81⅝
[illegible]	American Can. (New Stock)	63⅛	62¼
[illegible]	American Smelt. and Refining	173⅛	169⅞
[illegible]	Anaconda Copper	47⅝	47⅛
[illegible]	Anglo-American Oil	18⅜	—
[illegible]	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	61¾	59⅞
—	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	—	—
[illegible]	New York Consolidated Gas	118¾	117¾
[illegible]	General Electric (New Stock)	136¼	134
[illegible]	General Motors (New)	265	259¾
	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs	4⅞	4¾
[illegible]	Do. Pref. Certs	37¼	37
[illegible]	International Pet. of Canada	33	33
[illegible]	National Lead	124	122
[illegible]	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	50½†	51¼
[illegible]	Shell Transport and Trading	41½	41½
[illegible]	Shell Union Oil Corp.	25⅝	25½
[illegible]	U.S. Rubber	57	56¾
[illegible]	United States Steel Common	149⅝	146⅞
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	135½	135½
	Silver Commercial Bars	55¾	55⅝
	BONDS.		
[illegible]	Atch Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	96¾	97⅜
[illegible]	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	80	79¾
[illegible]	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	97½	98¼
[illegible]	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	109	109
[illegible]	U.K. 5½ per cent Bonds, 1929	117½	—
[illegible]	Do. Do 1937	105¾	105¾
[illegible]	7 per cent. German Loan	106¾	106¾
[illegible]	U.S. Treas. 3¾ p.c. Bds., 46-56.	105¾	—

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices Fri.	Thur.
[illegible]	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd	135½	135½
[illegible]	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	34½	29⅞
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	96	97½
[illegible]	Brazilian T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	201½	199⅛
[illegible]	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	¼	¼
[illegible]	Do. 1st Preference Series B	17½	17½
[illegible]	Do. 2nd Preference	1¼	1¼
[illegible]	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd	41¾	41
[illegible]	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	242½	244¼
[illegible]	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	120	120
[illegible]	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	37	38
[illegible]	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	35	34
[illegible]	Do. New 6 p.c.	90	89
[illegible]	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	246	238
[illegible]	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	130½	129
[illegible]	Hollinger Gold Mining Shares	16¾	16¾
[illegible]	Laurentide Co., Ltd.	106½	106
[illegible]	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	92⅝	92
[illegible]	National Breweries, Ltd.	93⅞	92½
[illegible]	Price Bros. and Co., Ltd.	62	62
[illegible]	Shawinigan W. & P. Co. (New).	87	90
[illegible]	Spanish R. P'p & P'r Mills, Ltd.	106½	107½
[illegible]	Do. Preferred	118	118½
[illegible]	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	177	172
[illegible]	Quebec Power Co.	302	302
[illegible]	Wayagamack	83½	83
[illegible]	Winnipeg Electric	84	83

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT—Spots irregular, ⅞c. down to ¼c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	156½	157⅜
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	142½	142¼
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	139½	139¼

Futures irregular, ⅛c. up to ⅛c. down. Closing options—September, 131¼; December, 133; March, unquoted.

Sales for export—50 boatloads.

OATS barely steady and 1c. lower. Closing options—September, 50; December, unquoted.

RYE easier and 1c. lower. No. 2 spot, 108⅝.

Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY easier and 1c. down, American malting, spot, 89.

MAIZE firm and 1c. higher.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	104¼	103¼

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD steady, 5 points up. Prime Western steam 13.00; Middle West, 12.75 to 12.85.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 6.75 to 7.10.

Sales for export—Nil

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per quarter, 2/- to 3/-.

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs., 14c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 40c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, per 100lbs., 55c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	17.15	17.15
Standard White in barrels	13.75	13.75
Do. Philadelphia	13.75	12.75
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.25-2.65	2.25-2.65

RUBBER quiet but steady. First latex crepe, spot, 33⅝ buyers; smoked ribbed sheets, spot, 33½ buyers, 33¾ sellers.

COFFEE—

Options—	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July.	Sept.
To-day	12.99	12.90	12.86	12.78	12.72	12.60
Prev. day	12.63	12.60	12.55	12.44	12.39	12.30

SUGAR—Centrifugal Cuban spot dull; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.74 asked. Futures steady, 1 point up to unchanged. Approximate day's sales—34,000 tons.

Options—	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July	Sept.
To-day	2.93	2.96	2.96	2.87	2.96	3.04	3.11
Prev. day	2.92	2.95	2.96	2.86	2.96	3.03	3.11

TALLOW firm and ⅛c. up. Spot, extra loose, 8¼.

SHELLAC—T.N., spot, 47¾.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 53½; Savannah, spot, 47 to 47¼.

METALS.—Straits Tin easy; spot 1.00 and Dec. 1.15 lower. Spot and nearby New York, 58.00. Future option—Dec., 57.72½. Lead steady and unchanged; spot New York, 6.25; East St. Louis, 6.00. Zinc easier and 7½ lower; spot East St. Louis, 6.05. Pig Iron steady; Northern No. 2 Plain, f.o.b. furnace East Pennsylvania, 20.00; f.o.b. Buffalo (delivery Boston), 21.41 by rail, 19.50 by water.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅝c. to ⅜c. up, and closed steady, 1⅜c. to ⅛c. down. Opening options—Oct 137¼; Dec., 131; May, 135⅛. Closing options—Oct., 136¼; Dec., 130⅛; May, 134⅛. Rye barely steady and ½c. to ¼c. lower. Closing options—Oct., 93⅛; Dec., 93¼. Oats steady and unchanged to ¼c. down. Closing options—Oct., 65½; Dec., 55⅞. Barley barely steady, ⅞c. to ⅝c. lower. Closing options—Oct., 76⅝; Dec.,

72½. Flaxseed easy and ⅛c. to 1⅞c. lower. Closing options—Oct., 191¼; Dec., 194⅝.

Wheat receipts (carlots).	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	71	35
No. 2 Northern	228	17
No. 3 Northern	238	203
No. 4 Northern	109	97
Other grades	678	524
Total	1,324	1,030

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, but 12 to 5 points lower. The undertone was feverish, and declines took place under the influence of lower cable advices, warmer temperatures, and bearish crop estimates. A rally occurred later, inspired by a forecast of showers in the West belt and poorer crop reports from the South-West, and the market finished steady at advances of 26 to 8 points. Spot steady at 25 points up. New Orleans spot 22 points higher.

The following private estimates have been announced:—

Messrs. Clement Curtis and Co.—Crop condition, 53.3 per cent.; yield, 13,037,000 running bales.

Messrs. J. W. Jay and Co.—Crop condition, 55.2 per cent.; yield, 13,606,000 running bales.

Messrs. Norman Mayer and Co.—Crop condition, 53.0 per cent.

Spot middling upland at New York, 21.80.

Spot middling upland at New Orleans, 21.56.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 18,000 bales; Gulf, 57,000, Pacific, nil; interior towns, 12,000.

Exports—Great Britain, 6,000 bales; France and Continent, 18,000; Japan and China, 18,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Friday.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅝c. lower to ¾c. higher. September was depressed by liquidation, but other options rose on predictions of unsettled weather in Canada, the steadiness abroad, disappointing Canadian threshing returns, and a smaller Australian crop estimate. The market closed steady, with September 2½c. down and later months ⅛c. up. Spot steady.

		To-day.	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot		130⅝	130⅝
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot		—	129¾
Futures—Opening options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	127⅝	130¾	134
Prev. day	128⅝	130⅝	133½
Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	125¾	130½	133⅞
Prev. day	128¼	130⅝	133¼

MAIZE commenced steady, but ⅝c. to ⅛c. lower. The close was steady, ⅛c. down to unchanged.

	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
Futures—Opening options—			
To-day	90⅝	95	97⅞
Prev. day	92⅝	95	98⅛
Futures—Closing options—			
To-day	91⅛	95¼	98¼
Prev. day	91¼	95¾	98¼

OATS barely steady at ¾c. to ¼c. decline.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	47¼	48⅝	50⅞
Prev. day	48	48⅞	50⅞

RYE steady, 1c. lower to ¼c. higher. No. 2 spot, 98.

Futures—Closing options—	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.
To-day	95	95⅝	99⅛
Prev. day	96	96⅝	99⅜

PROVISIONS—Lard opened steady, and values advanced owing to the steadiness of cottonoil, higher hog prices, and packers' support. The closing was steady, with futures 5 to 10 points and spot 5 points up. Ribs dull, unchanged to 12½ points higher. Lard—Prime Western steam spot, 12.25.

	Sept.	Oct.	Jan.
Lard—Closing options—			
To-day	12.20	12.22½	12.95
Prev. day	12.15	12.15	12.85
Ribs—Closing options—			
To-day	11.85	11.85	12.72½
Prev. day	11.85	11.85	12.60

BACON steady. Short ribs spot (60lbs. average), 12.25.

HOGS firmer, 5 points dearer for light descriptions and 10 points up for heavy. Light-weight, 10.65 to 11.70; heavy-weight, 10.35 to 11.60.

Receipts—	To-day.	Same day last year.
Western Cities	70,000	59,000
Chicago	11,000	9,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since February 26th total 14,893,000, against 14,540,000 same season last year.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—Pressure is high from the Azores to France, and lowest North of the Faroes. A secondary depression on the Atlantic will move quickly eastward over our Southern districts. The weather will be generally unsettled, and the wind may reach gale force within twenty-four hours at exposed places in the South.

Ireland, all Districts.—Wind south-westerly, becoming southerly or variable, moderate to strong; cloudy; rain at times; visibility poor at times; moderate temperature.

South-West Seaboard.—Wind south-west, strong to a gale; rain at times; visibility moderate; sea rough.

Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind south-west to south, or variable, strong at times locally; rain; visibility poor at times; sea moderate to rather rough.

North-West Seaboard.—Wind south-west, moderate to strong; some showers; visibility good; sea rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Sept.	Bar.	Thermometer Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain, m.m.	Sun hours
25	29.522	45.0	55	45	40	S.W.	0.4	8.4
26	29.804	44.5	54	41	35	W.	0.7	4.1
27	30.156	49.2	55	40	35	W.	1.8	0.1
28	29.776	57.7	60	45	36	S.W.	Trace	0.5
29	29.80	49.1	58	47	43	—	15.1	6.3
30	29.884	53.2	58	46	38	W.	2.1	2.1

THE SUN.
To-day.... Rises .. 7.25 Sets .... 7.[illegible]
To-morrow.. ,, ... 6.27 ,, ... 6.[illegible]
Lighting-up Time .... 8.[illegible]

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
To-day.... Morning 3. 2 Afternoon .... 3.[illegible]
To-morrow.. ,, ... 2.37 ,, ... 2.[illegible]

DUBLIN FREE NIGHT SHELTER.

The Committee of the St. Vincent de Paul Free Night Shelter for Catholic Men, Back lane, Dublin, reports that during September the admissions to the institution numbered 2,720, and 5,440 meals were given free.

AUCTION SALES.

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

In our auction columns to-day Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce some interesting sales of property. On next Tuesday they will offer the house known as "Tivoli," Castle avenue, Clontarf, at 12 o'clock, and afterwards the collection of antique and modern furniture, oil paintings, etc. On Thursday next, the houses, 32 Morehampton road, 5 Herbert place, 23 Brighton road, Rathgar, and "Templeville," Blackrock. On the 20th inst. they will offer the well-known bacon factory of Lunham's, at Dundalk. Full particulars in our advertising columns.

HAVE YOU A PRETTY GIRL OR BOY?
If so, see the announcement in the October issue of "The Irish Sketch" respecting "The Irish Sketch" All-Ireland Pretty Child Competitions. Valuable Prizes for the Prettiest Girls from four to ten years of age, and under four years of age; and also for the Prettiest Boys of similar ages. Every Mother should enter her pretty ones. Entries close Saturday, 29th October. No entrance fees. Photographs must be forwarded to "The Irish Sketch" Office, Commercial Buildings, Dublin. A postcard, giving name and address, will bring Competition particulars.—(Advt.)

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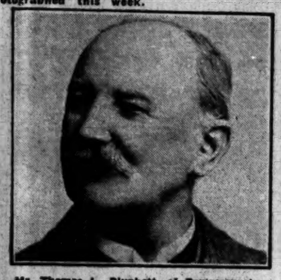
Cottage industry in Connemara. A typical group, photographed this week.

Finbarr Boroimhe, an Irish wolfhound, owned by Mr. T. W. Corcoran, that won a first prize, a silver cup and several other prizes at the Kennel Club Show at the Crystal Palace.



Mr. Thomas L. Plunkett, of Portmarnock, whose death was announced yesterday. —*Lafayette.*

Captain Korn and Captain Udet, the German pilots, who are preparing for a trans-Atlantic flight from Copenhagen. Their machine has two engines, which can develop 1,600 h.p.

Lady Susan Dawnay's house party at Whitefield Court, near Waterford. . Front Row (left to right)—Mr. Richard Desird Girouard and Lady Blanche Beresford (whose engagement was announced recently), Lady Susan Dawnay and Miss Mabel Smith. At back—Mr. Ronald Dawnay and Master Michael Dawnay.

The sale of greyhounds at Sewell's, Dublin, yesterday.

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AUCTION BRIDGE.

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(2) One side only of a sheet of paper must be used.
(3) All entries must be addressed to "Palomar," *Irish Times*, Ltd., Dublin, and must arrive not later than the first post on next Friday.
(4) "Palomar's" decision on all points shall be considered as final, and no correspondence will be entered into on the subject of the competition.
(5) All entries must be accompanied by the upper part of this article, which should be cut out.

All are partners against YZ. "Z" is always the dealer, and "A" is on his left.

PLAY THE HAND AS IF ONLY DUMMY'S WAS EXPOSED.

Sp. K,Q
H. A,K,3,2
D. A,8,5,4,2
Cl. K,10

Sp. J,8,6,3 H. J,10,8,5 D. K,10 Cl. Q,7,5	Y. A. B Z.	Sp. 10,9,7,6,4,2 H. Q,7 D. Q,9,6 Cl. 6,3

Sp. A
H. 9,6,4
D. J,7,5
Cl. A,J,9,8,4,3

SCORE:—Love-all.

BIDDING—

Z.	A.	Y.	B.
One Club.	No Bid.	One No-trump.	All pass.

COMMENCE THE GAME THUS:—

Tricks.	B.	Z.	A.	Y.
1.	Six of Spades.			

Place next lead below winning card. Star the winners, or draw line underneath. Number the tricks in rotation, and always give the result and reasons for play.

Result of Competition No. 106.

Dr. Gordon Redington, Revagh, Salthill, Galway, is to be congratulated on giving all twelve answers correctly, and wins the prize of two guineas.

WHAT WOULD YOU BID?

(1) Answer:—NO BID. The hand does not contain two quick tricks.

(2) Answer:—NO BID. For the reason given in the answer to (1), regardless of whether the suit be a major or a minor, an original bid of one should not be made unless the hand contains two quick tricks. The fact that the suit is of more than five cards does not affect this proposition. If it were of extreme length, a pre-emptive bid might be justified without the two quick-trick requirement, but such holdings are most unusual.

(3) Answer:—ONE SPADE. No need for pre-empting, and it is just possible that it may be advisable to show the hearts later on.

(4) Answer:—ONE DIAMOND, ONE CLUB, OR SEVEN CLUBS. The pre-emptive bid would gain only if the adversaries should have a holding which, by the aid of informatory bidding, would eventually enable them to bid seven of a major. This is most unlikely, and the hand seems to be one which makes it advisable to bid up one by one, hoping for a double. The normal bidding would be first one diamond, and subsequently a showing of the clubs; but a more deceptive type of bidding—and the unusual character of the hand probably justifies it—would be to start with one club and to continue with the clubs, not showing the diamonds; the theory being that in this way a double would be more probable, and that with so freakish a holding it matters little whether the partner prefers diamonds or clubs.

(5) Answer:—ONE DIAMOND. On account of the worthless singleton, a No-trump is inadvisable; and the bidding of the higher-valued of the two five-card minors is important.

(6) Answer:—ONE DIAMOND. The worthless singleton renders the No-trump inadvisable. The great strength of the hand makes it unnecessary to show the exact diamond holding by a bid of two. It is the try- ed hand with which it is better to start with a bid of one and to await developments.

(7) Answer:—ONE SPADE. A strong four-card major should be named before a stronger five-card minor.

(8) Answer:—NO BID. Not sufficient side strength to justify bidding a "king-nothing" suit, and probably would prove unsatisfactory as an initial No-trump. It is hardly likely that with so little strength in this hand an initial pass will result in the passing out of a game hand.

(9) Answer:—ONE DIAMOND. Four-card ace-queen-ten suits should be bid with one quick trick on the side.

(10) Answer:—NO BID. With only two suits stopped a No-trump should not be named unless the two strong short suits have a total of four quick tricks.

(11) Answer:—ONE NO-TRUMP. All four suits stopped and just enough strength for the bid.

(12) Answer:—ONE NO-TRUMP. Three suits safely or doubly stopped; unstopped suit has three cards, ample sufficient strength.

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SIR JAMES PARR.

The Hon. Sir James Parr, K.C.M.G. (High Commissioner for New Zealand), and his daughter, Mrs. Erie Stevens, have arrived in Belfast, and were welcomed yesterday by the Lord Mayor (Sir William Turner).

AMERICAN WARSHIP LEAVES BELFAST.

The American warship Detroit, which has been in Belfast Harbour since last Sunday, sailed yesterday afternoon for Lisbon.

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SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY DANCE.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society are making active preparations for a dance on Thursday, October 13th, in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin. The music will be supplied by Percival Mackey's Dance Band from the Riviera and Ambassadors' Clubs, London, and the Rogers-May Band. Miss Monti Ryan, the speciality dancer from the Piccadilly Revels, will give an exhibition and should be a big attraction. The arrangements are in the capable hands of the Hon. Mrs. Porter, who has secured the co-operation of the ladies' committee that made the British Legion Dance such a big success. Special efforts have been made to make the dance attractive, and patrons can be assured of an enjoyable evening.

GOREY WATERWORKS SCHEME.

Wexford County Board of Health have decided to carry out the scheme for the construction of a waterworks in Gorey by direct labour. Two tenders for the work received from Messrs. J. Browne, Wexford, and J. McNally and Co., Dublin—£6,250 and £6,079, respectively, which exceeded the estimate (£5,400)—were considered too high.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0 p.m.—Weather Report and Gramophone Records. 7.30—Monologue, Professor J. A. Macloughlin: "How Hughie Sweeney Baffled the Bailiff." 7.45—Gaelic: Seamus O Duirinne. 8.0—Josie Hassan (soprano), Derry: "Il Bacio" (Arditi); "Break o' Day" (W. Sanderson), "Songs my Mother Sang" (A. E. Grimshaw), "Scenes that are Brightest" (V. Wallace), "Caller Herrin'" (M. Winslow). 8.15—Station Orchestra: Irish Instrumental Offerings. 8.35—Maighread Ni Dhonagain, Seamus De Chlanndiolruin: Illustrated Lecture on Gaelic Music. 8.55—Augmented Station Orchestra. 9.5—Kathleen Andrews Pollaky ('cello): Andante 11 Movement, Concerto (B. Molique), 9.15—Boolloch Quartet: "The Winds that Waft," (W. V. Wallace), "All is Still" (G. A. Macfarren) "O Mary, Don't you Weep" (negro melody). 9.25—Kathleen Andrews Pollaky ('cello): Serenata (No. 6 (Toselli), Allegro Appassionata Op. 43 (Saint Saens). 9.35 — Doolloch Quartet: "O Peaceful Night" (L. German), "Three Doughty Knights" (by request) (A. Rowley) "Mr Bonnie Lass" (E. German). 9.45.—"The Enchanted Island," operetta in one act: Don Pedrillo, T. Bevan; Count Fabian, Young; Doctor Cosmo, P. L. McCann; Inez, Nancy Doyle. 10.30—Weather Forecast.

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BELFAST (2BE) 306.1 Metres.

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3.0—From London. 3.7—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.45—Miss Sheavon presents The Society Girls and their Pianist. 9.0—From London. 9.35—Virginia Days. Fred Masters (Coon Comedian). Joseph Mangelli (Versatile Instrumental Entertainer, assisted at the piano by Sybil Montague). Station Orchestra. Fred Masters (Songs). 10.45-12.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353.2 metres.

850 Kc.

5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 6.45—L. E. Williams: Eye-Witness Account: Cardiff v. Newport Match. 7.0—H. Browning Button: "Our Railways—In Lighter Vein." 7.15—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.5 Metres (187 Kc.).

10.30 (Daventry only) — Greenwich Time and Weather. 1.0-2.0 — Margaret Farrell (Mezzo-Soprano), W. S. Bryan (Baritone), David McCallum (Violin). 3.0—Spurs v. Everton. A running commentary on the second half of the Association football match at White Hart Lane. Wireless Military Band. Dorothy D'Orsay (Soprano), William Hesletine (Tenor). 5.15—Children. 6.0—Wireless Orchestra. Samuel Saul (Baritone). 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather and News. 6.45—Mark Raphael (Baritone). 7.0—Dr. Saleeby: "Health in Autumn." 7.15—Organ Recital, by E. T. Cook (relayed from Southwark Cathedral). Passacaglia and Fugue in C Minor (Bach). 7.25—Eye-Witness Account of the Grand Prix, by Mr. C. C. Davies. 7.45—From Manchester. 8.30—Strauss Waltzes. Wireless Orchestra. 7.45—From Liverpool. 9.0—Weather and News. 9.15—Writers of To-day: Mr. A. B. Cox reading from his own works. 9.30—Sports Bulletin (Daventry only). Shipping Forecast. 9.35—"Entre Nous" (Second Edition). The B.B.C. Concert Party. 10.30—The Savoy Band.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.)

3.0—Birmingham Studio Orchestra. George Garner (Tenor), Florence Oldham and Alma Vane, Cecil Lucas (Contralto). 5.45—Children. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather and News. 6.45—Wireless Orchestra. Samuel Saul (Baritone). 8.0—London Radio Dance Band. The Three Clefs, (In Harmony); Munro and Mills (Syncopated Piano Chamber Music. Trio Intime Trio—Suzanne de Livet (Pianoforte), Cecil Bonvalet (Violin), Cydric Sharpe ('Cello)

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—326.1 Metres 920 Kc.

5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.0—Mr. George Dance: Gardening—Stories of Winter Vegetables." 7.15—From London. 7.45—From Manchester. 8.30—From London. 9.35—Variety. Yvette (entertainer), Robert Pitt and Langton Marks: "Calling the British Smiles"; Flight-Sergeant W. M. Scott—Instrumental Novelty, Station Octet. 10.30-12.0—From London.

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7.25—L. E. Williams: "A Sports' Mixed Grill." 7.45—Autumn Leaves, Station Orchestra. Margaret Wilkinson (soprano), Ethel Dakin (contralto), Archie Gay (tenor), Glyn Eastman (baritone). 8.40—Songs in a Farmhouse. Margaret Wilkinson (soprano), Ethel Dakin (contralto), Archie Gay (tenor), Glyn Eastman (baritone), Station Repertory Choir and Orchestra. 9.0-12.0—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres.

780 Kc.

5.0—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.0—Mr. Louis Golding: "Dawn and Dusk in Palestine." 7.15—From London. 7.45—"On with the Show of 1927" (relayed from the North Pier, Blackpool). 8.30—Daisy Kennedy, Violin Recital of British Compositions. 9.0-12.0—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—275.5 Metres.

960 Kc.

3.0—Running Commentary on the Association Football Match, Newcastle United v. Blackburn Rovers. 4.30 (approx.)—Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.0—Talk. 7.15—From London. 7.45—From Manchester. 8.30-12.0—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres.

1,010 Kc.

5.15—Children. 6.0—From London. 7.0—Mr. F. J. Marquis, Chairman of the Liverpool Organisation: "Civic Week Reviewed." 7.15—From London. 7.45—Station Orchestra, Edith Formedge, with piano. 9.0—From London. 9.20 to 9.30 "Civic Week Worth While" proposed by Mr. Matthew Anderson; opposed by Professor C. H. Reilly; in the chair, Sir Arnold Rushton, J.P. 10.10—Orchestra. 10.30-12.0—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres.

740 Kc.

5.15—Dance Music. 6.15—Wireless Quartet. Bessie Hamilton. 5.15—Children. 5.50—Weather for Farmers. 6.0—Music. 6.30—From London. 6.45—From Dundee. 7.0—From London. 7.25—Association Football Talk. 7.40—Two Highland Plays; music by the Station Orchestra. 9.0-12.0—from London.

TO-MORROW.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

8.30-11.0—Relay of Cork Programme. 8.30—Cork Operatic Society: Concert Programme, arranged by Herr Theo Gmur. 9.15—Percy Bilsbury (tenor), Lancs.—"Let us but rest awhile in quiet" (Bach). "The Holy Child" (Martin). 9.30—Station Quintet: Selection from "Tosca" (Puccini) (arr. Tavan). 9.45—Percy Bilsbury (tenor)—"Has Sorrow thy young days shaded," "The Next Market Day," "Silent, O Moyle," "The Wind that Shakes the Barley" (Hughes). 10.0—Cork Operatic Society: Concert arranged by Herr Theo Gmur. 11.0—National Anthem, Weather Forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres

280 Kc.

3.30—Harvest Festival, Relayed from St. Anne's Cathedral. 4.45-5.45—From London. 6.30-7.45—From Edinburgh. 8.0—From Glasgow. 8.55-10.30—From London.

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10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Greenwich Time and Weather. 3.30—Wireless Orchestra, Arthur Cranmer (baritone), Raie da Costa (pianoforte). 5.30—Tales from the Old Testament: Kings and Prophets. Nathan's word to David—1st Chron. xvii. 5.30-6.45—Missionary Talk. Miss Frances M. Clarke, of the C.M.S. Hospital, Peshawar, India. 6.0—Studio Service, conducted by the Rev. P. B. Clayton (of All Hallow's, Barking), Padre of Toc H. 6.55—Week's Good Cause. 6.58 (Daventry only)—Week's Good Cause. 7.0—Weather and News. 9.10 (Daventry only)—Shipping Forecast. 9.15—Albert Sandler and the Grand Hotel, Eastbourne, Orchestra; Cuthbert Smith (baritone). 10.30—Epilogue.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres.

610 Kc.

3.30—The Kutcher String Quartet: Samuel Kutcher (1st violin); Kenneth Skeaping (2nd violin), Cecil Bonvalot (viola), Edward Robinson (violoncello), Tatiana Makushina (soprano). 5.30-6.30—From London. 5.0—Service, from Birmingham Studio. 6.55—Week's Good Cause. 9.0—Weather and News. 9.10—"Samson," an Oratorio by Handel (from Birmingham): Soloists—Caroline Hatchard (soprano), Margaret Balfour (contralto), John Adams (tenor), Andrew Shanks (bass), the Birmingham Studio Repertory. 10.30—Epilogue (from Birmingham).

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—326.1 Metres.

920 Kc.

3.30-5.45—From London. 6.0—Service. 6.55—Week's Good Cause. 9.0-10.30—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

850 Kc.

3.30—A Czecho-Slovakian Programme. Station Symphony Orchestra. Thelma Peterson (mezzo-soprano), Herbert Thorpe (tenor). 5.20-6.45—From London. 6.30—A Religious Service in Welsh (relayed from Crwys Road Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church). 8.15—Studio Service. 8.55—From Daventry. 9.0—From London. 10.40-11.0—The Silent Fellowship.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres.

780 Kc.

3.30—A Studio Concert. The British Trio: Arthur Catterall violin), Clyde Twelvetrees ('cello), John Wills (pianoforte). John Van Eyl (bass), Hilda Atkinson (harp). 5.20-5.45—From London. 6.0—Studio. 8.55—Week's Good Cause. 9.0-10.30—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—275.5 Metres.

960 Kc.

3.30—A Chamber Concert. Lia Rosa (soprano), Sidonie Goossens (harp). Station Orchestra. 5.20-5.45—From London. 6.0—Religious Service (relayed from St. Nicholas Cathedral). 8.55—Week's Good Cause; Dr. W. H. Dickinson, Appeal on behalf of the Newcastle-on-Tyne Dispensary. 9.0-10.30—From London.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—297 Metres.

1,010 Kc

3.30-5.45—From London. 6.0—Service (relayed from St. Anne's Church, Edgehill). 8.55-10.30—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—405.4 Metres.

740 Kc.

3.30—Light Orchestral Concert. Station Orchestra. Rae Robertson (pianoforte), Barrington Hooper (baritone). 5.20-5.45—From London. 6.30—From Edinburgh. 7.45—From Aberdeen. 8.0—Lecture-Recital by Mr. T. C. L. Pritchard on the New Church Hymnary, assisted by the Choir of Behaven Church. 8.55—The Rev. George Deneke, D.D., Minister of Govan Parish Church—An Appeal. 9.0-10.30—From London.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

THREE OBJECTIONS.

MEDAL AND THE CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

ELLIOTT'S GOOD JOCKEYSHIP.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.
NEWMARKET, Friday Night.

We had a most gratifying change in the weather conditions when the First October Meeting came to an end this afternoon. That reluctant sun who hid his head yesterday when the elements were working their wicked will on us, was there all the afternoon, shining away as if nothing had happened. A wind during the night had dried the Rowley Mile, which rode a good deal better than it did yesterday.

The racing was not up to the high standard of the previous day, but it had good points. It was notable for the fact that there were two objections—indeed three, for there were two separate protests in one race. The most important of them was that which Harry Beasley, who rode O'Curry, lodged after he had been beaten half a length by Donoghue on Briary in the Rous Memorial Stakes. This was for crossing, but the Stewards overruled it, and Briary, a daughter of The Boss, who is trained for Lord Hillingdon by Captain Boyd-Rochfort, kept the race.

I think O'Curry was a little unlucky to have lost. He was always well in the picture, but he did not come down the hill well, and Pobieda gained a nice lead on him there. Then Briary, who had been drawn No. 13—O'Curry started from No. 4—came across the course and got well in front. When they met the hill Pobieda did not stay on, but O'Curry met it like a lion and began to make up ground again. He could not, however, make up all the ground on Briary, who won both on the post and in the Stewards' room.

The other objection occurred in the Hadleigh T.Y.O. Selling Plate, in which the Loumay colt, who is owned and trained by Douglas Pickering, beat Sun Gem by a head, with Richards' mount, Blue Isle, three lengths off, third. Then Carslake, who rode Sun Gem, objected to the winner for bumping and boring, and Richards objected for "crushing" and boring. "Crushing" is a new word in the terminology of the Turf, but it did not bring any grist to the mill of the leading jockey, and his objection was overruled. That of Carslake was sustained, and the race awarded to Sun Gem.

GOOD MEASURE'S CLEVER WIN.

Richards has all the limelight turned on him at the moment, and deservedly so, but other jockeys ride good races. One of these is Elliott, who rides fewer bad races than most, and some superlatively good ones. He excelled himself this afternoon on Mrs. Chester Beatty's Good Measure. Less than a hundred yards from home, Fire Curtain, on the inside, and Mayrian, on the outside, had her measure taken, and Elliott, in the middle, had none too much room; but he fairly outrode Winter and Weston on the other two and won by a neck and a head from Mayrian and Fire Curtain. It was a very fine piece of jockeyship.

The Ditch Mile Nursery was won by Bar One, trained by Walter Nightingall, and he beat Troubadour by a length and a half, Covenden finishing third, the same distance away, in a big field. Bar One, who had zigzagged when he lost at Gatwick, kept a straight course here and won like a useful colt.

High marks must be given to the second, Troubadour, for a game performance. He is a little Gay Crusader colt, who started the season in the Stanley House stable. He failed in several selling races and was thrown out, Major Sneyd buying him from Mr. C. Glorney for the trifling sum of 75 guineas. He has come on a good deal since then, and is a good wiry little staying colt, who might shine in long distance races later on.

A good Cambridgeshire trial was run by Mrs. Carthew's Happy Warrior colt Medal, bred at Ballykisteen, who won the Norwich Handicap by two lengths and three lengths from Kingstown (receiving 19lb. and a year) and Hunt the Slipper. Medal is a beautifully-trained colt, on the small side, and he finished the Cambridgeshire distance without a flinch. At Doncaster Sundry beat him by a neck and at Goodwood he finished a neck in front of Weissdorn. I make him out to be on paper about the best handicapped horse in the Cambridgeshire, and even with the 5lb. penalty he gained this afternoon he may not be out of it. On paper he has just as good a chance as the existing favourite, Weissdorn.

TATTOO'S SUCCESS.

The Newmarket St. Leger was a moderate affair. B. Jarvis intended yesterday to start Shian Mor but did not do so, and there were only four runners, Baralong being favourite. He was lobbing along in front, and seemed to have settled the pretensions of Tattoo. Then he shied at something—perhaps it was a shadow thrown across the course—became unbalanced, and Tattoo passed him. By the time Childs had Baralong collected again Tattoo had gained a good advantage, and he won by three lengths. Both first and second are sons of Galloper Light.

The Irish colt, Fag End, does not run for the London Sprint Handicap this afternoon at Alexandra Park, where he seemed to have a very good chance on the handicap. Donoghue is to ride Lord Wembley again, and he seems the only jockey who can win on him nowadays. Snip Snap, who runs instead of Sweetie, is not, perhaps, so good as he was. Jock Trotter has a chance, but I prefer that one a little below him in the handicap—the Irish colt, PORTLAND. If we take his running at Ayr with Bethlena, who beat Nesabourg yesterday, and then Nesabourg's running with Nothing Venture at Nottingham, he can be given a chance, and I make him an each way selection. Unless THIRLMERE has deteriorated a good deal, he should win the October Nursery, and TOREADOR should win the Tottenham Stakes.

At Thirsk, POTATO BEETLE is fancied a little for the Topcliffe Nursery, and ACIER may win the New Buildings Handicap.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

ALEXANDRA PARK.

1.15—African Smoke.
2. 0—Lucina.
2.30—Dark Lad.
3. 0—Tinstone.
3.30—Snip Snap (nap).
4. 0—Roman Emperor.
4.30—Toreador.

THIRSK.

1.45—King's Courier II.
2.15—Whinpark.
2.45—Swish.
3.15—Cyzara.
3.45—Lady Long.
4.15—Hidalgo II.

Eclipse.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's Best—Toreador. Double—Portland and Toreador.
Daily Express:—Safety Bet — Toreador (win). Double—Nadia and Toreador.
Daily Mirror:—Double—Jock Trotter and Toreador (nap).
Daily Sketch:—Double — Canfield (nap) and Roman Emperor.

The President of Liberia will arrive in London early to-day, having travelled overnight from the Hook of Holland.

PHŒNIX PARK.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Judging by the attractive character of the programme and the number of horses under orders to meet their engagements, the racing at Phœnix Park to-day should reach a capital standard. The principal event, the La Touche Plate, will probably bring out the biggest field of the afternoon, and it should provide a fine race. Gondoline may be reserved for the Tara Plate, and Silver Work, who disappointed at the last Curragh meeting on the occasion of his début in the Railway Stakes, for which he started favourite, will do duty for the Brownstown House stable, and may now make amends. Quick Toy and Dione are both smart, and Connor is another that must come into the reckoning, but I incline to the chance of

EASTERN ESSEX,

who had none the best of luck in the Railway Stakes. **Silver Work** may prove the chief danger to her.

Other selections are appended:—
Templeogue Plate—**Tony Lad.**
Tinode Plate—**Sister Josephine.**
Trim Plate—**Crotanstown.**
Tallaght Plate—**Wilt** or **Long Reign.**
Tara Plate—**Swantown.**

3.0—THE TEMPLEOGUE PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. A weight for age race. 1 m.

Age st. lb.
TONY LAD (Mr. M. Cuddy)......Ussher a 8 12
VESINGTON SUN (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 3 8 12
CAILIN DUBH (£100) (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ......Grundy 3 8 10
(The above are under orders.)
KING EAGLE (Mr. B. O'Donnell) Collins 4 10 3
RIGHTING (£100) (Mr. G. Manning)..Moss 4 8 12
SWEET LOCH LOMOND (Mr. John O'Brien) J. Rogers 4 8 12
EDWARD (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ......Owner 3 8 12
BATTLE CREEK (£100) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ......Owner 3 8 5
ZORRO PARDO (£100) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ......Owner 3 7 12
HANOVERIAN (£100) (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ......Owner 3 7 12

3.30—THE TINODE PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. A welter handicap. 5 f.

Age st. lb.
CONNEMARA (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan 3 10 0
SHANNON SCHEME (Mr. J. Doyle)...Owner 3 9 5
LAKESIDE (Lady Mahon)......Grundy 2 8 5
EAGLE TRAILER (Mr. H. I. Ussher) Owner 2 8 0
SISTER JOSEPHINE (Mr. M. J. Cleary) Daly 3 8 0
(The above are under orders.)
BRIGHTER BIRD (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) Owner 2 9 5
LIPSTOWN (Mr. W. Jackson)......Dawson 2 9 4
VENNY (Mr. A. B. Coyle)......Grundy 2 8 1½
ALICE ORB (10lb. ex.) (Mrs. Darby Rogers) D. Rogers 2 8 10
WILD RAKE (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)..Owner 2 8 5
SHESKBURN (Capt. Dixon)......Parkinson 3 8 5
CHAUCERIAN (Mr. P. Corcoran) Parkinson 3 8 0
INVER RIVER (Mrs. N. Carroll) McDonnell 5 8 0

4.0—THE TRIM PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. An open handicap for all ages. 1 m.

Age st. lb.
OISEAU D'OR (Mr. W. O. Ryan). Ussher 5 10 12
GOOSE GREEN (Mr. J. Long) ..Fetherston 5 9 8
MINNETONKA (Mr. J. Sheil) ......Doyle 5 9 2
SHREWD KING (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 3 9 1
SAUCY JACK (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) Grundy 3 8 10
CROTANSTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers)...Owner 3 8 0
MISS MIRANDA (Mr. C. Fagan) ....Barrett a 7 7
(The above are under orders.)
KILGORVE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. P. Lynch) Behan 3 9 7
ERIN GREEN (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) Parkinson 4 8 5
PARKGATE (Mr. C. Wadia)......J. Rogers 3 9 6
SPARSHOLT (Mr. J. Rogers)......Owner 4 9 1
PUFF PUFF (Mr. John Burns)...Macaulay 3 9 1
TIMBUCKTOO (Sir G. S. Murray)...Hunter 3 9 0
BULGARIAN (Lord Lascelles)......Arnott 4 8 11
ROYAL ORB (Mr. John Adams) ......Ray 6 8 11
ROYAL HEROINE (Mr. H. F. Evans) Ray 3 8 8
DARK AGES (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 8 8
MISS O'HARA (Mr. A. B. Coyle)....Grundy 3 8 5
ARGENTAN (Major Dixon)......Walker 4 8 1
PRINCESS PEG (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Owner 3 8 1
CHOSEN LEAF (Mr. J. P. Hogan) Parkinson 3 8 0
HAPPY DALE (Mr. Jas. Burns) ...Macaulay 3 7 10
TIPPERARY LASS (Mr. P. Grey) ...Kirwan 6 7 7
LADY SILVERN (Mr. A. Lowry) ...Dawson 3 7 7
SAME AGAIN (Mr. E. Delany)......Owner 5 7 7

4.30—LA TOUCHE PLATE of 210 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.

st. lb.
GONDOLINE (Mr. A. B. Coyle)......Grundy 10 1
QUICK TOY (Mr. G. J. Ball)......Blake 9 4
DIONE (Col. Clarke)......Behan 9 4
LAKESIDE (Lady Mahon)......Grundy 8 13
EASTERN ESSEX (Major Shirley)..J. Rogers 8 13
TARA HALL (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)...Owner 8 7
MOUNT ELLIOTT (Mr. F. P. Roche) Fetherston 8 7
SILVER WORK (Gen. Sir Bryan Mahon) Grundy 8 7
CONNOR (Sir T. Dixon)......Behan 8 7
PRINCESS INA (Mr. H. I. Ussher)...Owner 8 7
LONG REIGN (Mr. C. Wadia)......J. Rogers 8 7
(The above are under orders.)
ATHFORD (Mr. W. Barnett)......J. Rogers 10 5
TOM FAIR (Major Cape)......Blake 10 0
CARDINAL'S RING (Mrs. C. L. Mackean) Blake 10 0
GOLDEN ORACLE (Capt. H. Whitworth) Ussher 10 5
DOHORA (Capt. R. B. Brassey)......Hartigan 10 0
WAVETOP (Mr. A. B. Coyle)......Grundy 9 8
SUN ARCH (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) Hartigan 9 8
FACINO (Mr. John Burns)......Macaulay 9 4
CHARDON (Col. A. J. Blake)......Owner 9 4
SONNING'S BOSS (Mr. H. F. Evans) Rankin 9 4
GOLDEN AILEEN (Mr. I. J. Blake)..Blake 8 13
TREMINORD (Col. Clarke)......F. Clarke 8 13
ST. DROMACK (Capt. Dixon)......Behan 8 13
STACOY (Mr. J. T. Wallis)......Behan 8 13
SOME OTHER DAY (Mr. H. S. Gray) Behan 8 13
MUSTARD CLUB (Mr. F. Burke)......Collins 8 10
ELTON (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 7
KNIGHT LIGHT (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) Owner 8 7
BALMORAL TATTOO (Mr. J. Turner) Jeffery 8 7
RUANBEG (Mr. H. M. Hartigan)......Owner 8 7
SKY DON (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 7
(ARCIA (Mr. James Burns)......Macaulay 8 7
JOLLIFICATION (Mr. E. Delany)......Owner 8 7
CIBOULETTE (Mr. A. Turner)......Jeffrey 8 3
MYMERING (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall)..Owner 8 3
SAINT'S WAY (Mr. J. H. H. Peard)..Owner 8 3
BLANQUETTE (Lord Lascelles)......Arnott 8 3
SWEET WALL (Mr. C. L. Mackean)..Clarke 8 3
HAPPY AND JOYOUS (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) Owner 8 3
GLENSHIEL (Mr. H. S. Gill)......J. Rogers 8 3
GLEN ISLA (Mr. W. P. Gill)......J. Rogers 8 3
WESTMEATH (Mr. C. Wadia)......J. Rogers 8 3
LONGFORD (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 3
NANETTE (Mr. W. J. Hilliard)......Hartigan 8 3
SWEET EAGLE (Mr. W. Barnett)...J. Rogers 8 3
OLD MOTHER HUBBARD (Mr. E. F. Barry) Daly 8 3
SIRROPEN (Mr. P. FitzGerald)......Blake 8 3
ASK HER (Mr. T. Coombs)......Owner 8 3
IRISH GLASS (Col. Clarke)......Behan 8 3

5.0—THE TALLAGHT PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. For maiden two year olds. 5 f.

st. lb.
ROWALLANE (Mr. C. L. Mackean)......Blake 8 10
EMBARRAS DES RICHESSES (General Sir Bryan Mahon) ......Rogers 8 10
TYNAGH (Mr. J. F. Rogers)......Owner 8 10
LONG REIGN (Mr. C. Wadia)......J. Rogers 8 10
FAIRY FORD (Mr. T. O'Ryan)......Ussher 8 10
(The above are under orders.)
WILT (Mr. A. Macaulay)......Owner 8 10
PRINCESS ARGOSY (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Owner 8 10
KALONE (Mr. J. B. Magennis)......Arnott 8 10
MYMERING (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 8 10
FAIR LOMOND (Mr. A. J. Smalley) ..Grundy 8 10
LIVE LINE (Mr. H. I. Ussher)......Owner 8 10
ORBAN (Mr. Peter Kelly)......Lenehan 8 10
VANITEUSE (£50) (Mr. G. P. Gilpin) H. Hartigan 7 10
VAIN COLLEEN (£50) (Major Gerrard) H. Hartigan 7 10
EPIRA (£50) (Mr. A. McCann)......Dawson 7 10
GUIDELESS (£50) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 7 10
BATTERED AND TATTERED (£50) (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ......Owner 7 10
EGYPTIAN PRINCE (£50) (Mr. J. H. H. Peard) ......Owner 7 10

5.30—THE TARA PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second will receive 10 sovs. A nursery handicap for two years old. 5 f.

st. lb.
PENCEDOR (Mr. Jas. Daly)......Owner 9 6
SWANTOWN (Mr. E. Bellaney)......Ussher 9 5
FLEETING MEMORY (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 9 5
GONDOLINE (Mr. A. B. Coyle)......Grundy 9 0
LONG REIGN (Mr. C. Wadia)......J. Rogers 8 7
LAKESIDE (Lady Mahon)......Grundy 8 5
WHITE MIXTURE (Mr. J. O'Callaghan) Fetherston 8 2
MAHBOOBI (Mr. V. Rosenthall......J. Rogers 8 0
(The above are under orders.)
MAIL FIST (Capt. G. A. Boyd-Rochfort) Ussher 9 2
QUEEN'S UP (Mr. F. Burke)......Collins 9 9
SEDGE BEE (Mr. F. Burke)......Ussher 9 5
GOLDEN AILEEN (Mr. I. J. Blake)......Blake 9 0
LIPSTOWN (Mr. W. Jackson)......Dawson 9 0
SALVADORA (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 8 6
FESTIVE (Sir G. S. Murray)......Hunter 8 5
BLACKROCK (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 5
VENDA (Mr. J. Leech)......Arnott 8 2
ELTON (Mr. J. T. Rogers)......Owner 8 0
MILENNIS (Mrs. M. Dawson)......Dawson 8 0
ASK HER (Mr. T. Coombs)......Owner 7 12
CYGALICE (Mr. J. Murray)......Owner 7 12
BLANQUETTE (Lord Lascelles)......Arnott 7 10
GLENROY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)......Owner 7 10
GRANDIEM (Mr. N. O'Reilly)......Arnott 7 7
CRBULON (Mr. H. F. Evans)......Owner 7 7
DREAM MORE (Mrs. Sheila Gardner Wallis) Collins 7 7
EPIRA (Mr. A. McCann)......Dawson 7 7
KLEIN'S GIFT (Mr. W. Mullins)......Kirwan 7 7
DORENA (Mr. T. Coombs)......Owner 7 7

TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS.
A special train will leave Broadstone for Ashtown at 2.15 p.m., and return at 6 o'clock.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Cesarewitch Stakes, Newmarket—Finglas, at 11.35 a.m. yesterday.
Middle Park Stakes, Newmarket Second October Meeting—Ramon, Sardanaza and Bartellus.
Thirkelby Selling Handicap, Thirsk—Too Eager.
October Nursery Handicap Plate, Alexandra Park—Vestry.
Severn T.Y.O. Stakes, Chepstow, and Doncaster Autumn Foal Plate—Fitaurari.

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NEWMARKET MEETING

TATTOO TAKES THE ST. LEGER.

1.0—BRETBY WELTER HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. 6 f.
Mrs. C. Beatty's ch. f. GOOD MEASURE, by Tetrameter—Saffian, 3, 8-7 ......C. Elliott 1
Mr. S. Joel's MAYRIAN, 4, 9-1 ......F. Winter 2
Mr. H. Pulitzer's FIRE CURTAIN, 3, 8-0 T. Weston 3

Also ran:—St. Fortunat (L. Brown), Edwina (J. Childs), Gliding Orb (B. Carslake), Common Good (M. Beary), Imbros (A. Burns), Rose Gift (F. Fox), Tannenberg (G. Richards), Aylsham (J. Dines). Off 1.1. (Winner trained by Lord G. Dundas.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. GOOD MEASURE, 3 to 1 Mayrian, 7 to 1 Imbros, 8 to 1 Saint Fortunat, 10 to 1 Edwina, 100 to 8 each Fire Curtain and Gliding Orb, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a neck; a head. Saint Fortunat was fourth and Tannenberg last.

1.30—HADLEIGH T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. J. B. Joel's ch. c. SUN GEM, by Sunstar—Sweet Bird, 8-10 ......B. Carslake 1
Lord Glanely's BLUE ISLE, 8-7 ...G. Richards 2
Mr. J. St. V. Fox's HEREFORD DALE F., 8-7 C. Elliott 3

Also ran:—Tetrad (H. Leach), Vulpes c. (C. Ray), Blockhead (S. Donoghue), Transmit (J. Childs), Blairfly (G. Baines), My Jess f. (F. Fox), Mantilla (A. Burns), Fern Owl f. (C. Smirke), Deas Mhuma f. (L. Brown), Severn Tunnel g. (M. Beary), Sunita (J. Leach), Voice (R. Perryman), Loumay c. (R. Jones), disq. Off 1.32. (Winner trained by C. Peck.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. Mantilla, 9 to 2 Blue Isle, 6 to 1 Blairfly, 7 to 1 Hereford Dale filly, 8 to 1 each Severn Tunnel gelding and Deas Mhuma filly, 9 to 1 Voice, 10 to 1 each SUN GEM and Loumay colt, 100 to 6 any other.

Won by a head; three lengths. Hereford Dale filly was fourth and Blockhead last.

Sun Gem objected to Loumay colt, who finished first. This was sustained and the race awarded to Sun Gem, Hereford Dale filly being placed third. Blue Isle, who finished third, objected to Loumay colt and Sun Gem, but this was overruled.

2.0—DITCH MILE NURSERY HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. 1 m.
Mr. A. C. Ioannou's b. c. BAR ONE, by Volta—Sly Mary, 8-11 ......Carslake 1
Mr. C. Glorney's TROUBADOUR, 7-13 S. Donoghue 2
Mr. A. de Rothschild's COVENDEN, 7-13 R. Perryman 3
Mr. H. R. King's Rotherhill, 9-0 ......J. Leach 0
Lord Glanely's Grandmaster, 9-0 ......J. Childs 0
Mr. G. Robinson's Sparkling Dale, 8-10 R. Jones 0
Mr. S. Joel's Covent Garden, 8-6 ...F. Winter 0
Mr. R. D. Cohen's Light Fantastic, 8-5 L. Brown 0
Lord Lonsdale's Diligencia, 8-3 ......G. Richards 0
Mrs. G. Robinson's Flambent, 8-2 ...C. Smirke 0
Lord Rosebery's Contraband, 8-2 ......C. Elliott 0
Mr. W. A. Read's Spanish Wish, 8-2 ...F. Fox 0
Mr. M. Calmann's The Rajah, 8-1 ......T. Pryor 0
Mr. F. W. Wilmot's Monarchy, 7-12 ...J. Dines 0
Lady Cunliffe-Owen's Fountain Lily c. 7-9 G. Baines 0
Mr. T. Nolan's Irishman's Queen, 7-8 D. Morris 0
Mr. H. Abrahams's Winter Ray, 7-7 ...A. Burns 0
Mr. G. Lambton's Fersen, 7-5 ......T. Weston 0
Lord H. de Walden's Lychee, 7-1 ......W. Alford 0
Mrs. H. V. Beatty's Who, 6-13 ...K. Robertson 0
Off 2.5. (Winner trained by W. Nightingall.)

Betting—9 to 2 agst. BAR ONE, 6 to 1 each Diligencia, Spanish Wish and Winter Ray, 100 to 14 Sparkling Dale, 10 to 1 Contraband, 100 to 8 Troubadour, 100 to 6 any other.

Flambent settled down in front of Covenden, Spanish Wish, Troubadour, Bar One, and Sparkling Dale, with Diligencia last, for five furlongs, when Covenden took up the running, just in front of Troubadour, Bar One, and Sparkling Dale. Challenging a furlong from home, Bar One headed both Troubadour and Covenden, and won by a length and a half, the same distance separated second and third. Sparkling Dale was fourth, Spanish Wish fifth, Irishman's Queen sixth, Diligencia seventh, Covent Garden eighth, Rotherhill ninth, Grandmaster tenth, Monarchy eleventh, Winter Ray twelfth, and Light Fantastic last.

2.30—NORWICH HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. 1 m. 1 f.
Mrs. T. Carthew's br. c. MEDAL, by Happy Warrior—Honour, 3, 8-5 ......C. Smirke 1
Lord Southampton's KINGSTOWN, 4, 7-0 K. Robertson 2
Captain C. Boyd-Rochfort's HUNT THE SLIPPER, 3, 7-10 ......S. Donoghue 3
Sir G. Bullough's Valois, 3, 8-12 ......C. Elliott 0
Mrs. C. Beatty's Albanian, 3, 8-4 ...H. Jelliss 0
Captain J. Homfray's Sandblast, 6, 8-2 G. Richards 0
Mr. A. W. Gordon's Willow Stream, 4, 7-13 R. Perryman 0
M.M. Calman's Sapor, 3, 7-10 ......T. Pryor 0
Mr. J. S Austen's Inky Boy, 4, 7-6 T. Weston 0
Sir J. Rutherford's Arnold, 3, 7-2 ...G. Baines 0
Off 2.32. (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. MEDAL, 5 to 1 each Valois and Hunt the Slipper, 6 to 1 Sandblast, 7 to 1 Kingstown, 8 to 1 Sapor, 100 to 7 any other.

Hunt the Slipper made play from Sapor, Sandblast, and Arnold, with Valois and Medal heading the others. They came on in this order until approaching the Bushes, where Sapor was done with, and Medal moved up to Hunt the Slipper, closely attended by Arnold, Kingstown, and Sandblast. Racing into the Dip, Medal drew out clear, and comfortably holding off Kingstown up the hill, won by two lengths; three lengths separated second and third. Sandblast was fourth, Arnold fifth, Albanian sixth, Inky Boy seventh, Sapor eighth, and Willow Stream last.

3.0—NEWMARKET ST. LEGER, a sweepstakes of 20 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Three year olds. 1¾ m.
Mr. A. de Rothschild's b. c. TATTOO, by Galloper Light—Torchlight, 8-10 R. Perryman 1
Mr. A. R. Cox's BARALONG, 8-10 ...J. Childs 2
Mr. R. D. Cohen's BUCKFAST, 9-1 S. Donoghue 3
His Majesty's St. Sylvestre, 8-0 ......R. Jones 0
Off 3.2. (Winner trained by Watson.)

Betting—Evens Baralong, 3 to 1 agst. TATTOO, 9 to 2 Buckfast, 10 to 1 St. Sylvestre.

St. Sylvestre made play from Tattoo, with Buckfast last, until half-way across the flat, where Baralong took second place. The last-named took up the running approaching the Bushes from Tattoo, but failed to hold off the latter's challenge in the last furlong. Tattoo winning by three lengths; six lengths separated second and third.

3.30—ROUS MEMORIAL STAKES of 15 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Two year olds. 5 f.
Lord Hillingdon's ch. f. BRIARY, by The Boss—Alvaelo, 7-11 ......S. Donoghue 1
Mr. D. Sullivan's O'CURRY, 8-10 ...H. Beasley 2
H.H. Aga Khan's POBIEDA, 8-10 ...C. Smirke 3
Mr. S. W. Beer's Soult, 8-7 ......J. Leach 0
Sir G. Bullough's Oreval, 8-7 ......C. Elliott 0
Lord Glanely's Navigator, 8-2 ......G. Richards 0
Mr. S. Joel's Syn, 8-1 ......C. Dickens 0
Sir A. Bailey's Festum, 8-0 ......R. Perryman 0
Lord Harewood's Flammarion, 8-0 ......F. Lane 0
Sir D. Broughton's Frankit, 7-13 ......M. Beary 0
Lord Durham's Turnabout, 7-11 ......T. Weston 0
Mr. C. E. Howard's Economy, 7-11 ......F. Fox 0
Mr. H. J. Joel's Blackfly, 7-8 ......A. Burns 0
Off 3.30. (Winner trained by Boyd-Rochfort.)

Betting—Evens O'Curry, 6 to 1 each Economy and Pobieda, 7 to 1 Soult, 10 to 1 each BRIARY and Navigator, 20 to 1 any other.

Navigator made the running from O'Curry, Briary, Pobieda, Soult, Blackfly, and Economy, with Turnabout and Syn slowly away. After going two furlongs Pobieda forced the pace from Briary, with Soult and O'Curry next. Racing into the Dip, Briary shot to the front, and O'Curry weakened, only to come again on meeting the rising ground. Briary came on from Pobieda and O'Curry up the hill, and resisting the last-named, who finished strongly, Briary won by half a length; a head separated second and third. Flammarion was fourth, Economy fifth, Soult sixth, Navigator seventh, Creval eighth, Blackfly ninth and Syn last.

An objection to the winner for crossing was over-ruled.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Irish Cesarewitch.

Only five horses—Polish Patriot, Caprier, La Douairiere, Roselake and Fiddleback—have been struck out of the Irish Cesarewitch at the second declaration of forfeit. This leaves a final acceptance of twenty-six, and a fine contest is in prospect for the race, which will be run at the Curragh on the 19th inst.

Proudstown Park Meeting.

The directors of the Proudstown Park Racecourse desire to return their most grateful thanks to Messrs. R. J. Duggan, D. O'M. Leahy, Hugh McAlinden, Joseph Shaw and John Adams for their very kind contribution of £50 towards the stakes for the meeting held on Monday, September 26th.

Next Betting Call-Over.

The card on the Cesarewitch and the Cambridgeshire will be called over at the Victoria Club on Monday at 12.30 p.m.

Finglas Out of Cesarewitch.

Among the official scratchings appears that of Finglas out of the Cesarewitch at 11.35 a.m. yesterday. M. E. De St. Alary's four-year-old has figured prominently in the Cesarewitch market, and appeared in the course betting at Newmarket last Tuesday as being backed at 1,000 to 70. He holds a tempting engagement in the Prix du Conseil Municipal, run at Longchamp on Sunday, October 23.

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THIRSK TO-DAY:

SELECTIONS.

Topcliffe Nursery—**Six Wheeler.**
Autumn Plate—**Front Row.**
Malton Selling—**Lismura.**
New Buildings Plate—**Glanyllyn.***
Thirkleby Selling—**Lashaway.**
Rievaulx Plate—**Hidalgo II.**

1.45—TOPCLIFFE NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 6 f.

st. lb.
MUDLARK (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) Leach, jun. 9 0
WHIPPER SNAP (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 8 12
MANX MAID (Mr. J. G. Clarke)...Clarke 8 11
SIX WHEELER (Mr. H. F. Clayton) G. Armstrong 8 11
BRIGHT STEEL (Ld. Glanely)......Archer 8 11
ROSE COTTAGE (Col. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick 8 10
SAXPENCE (Sir Victor Sassoon)...Crawford 8 9
DARDANELLA (Lady Freake)...F. Leader 8 9
KNIPHOFIA (Mr. D. McLaren) (7lb. ex.) Rimell 8 8
FRIAR LILE (Mr. L. Brook)......Green 8 7
MAZENA (Mr. G. Gunter)......Gunter 8 4
WEE-PEI-FU (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 8 4
KING'S COURIER II. (M. E. de St. Alary) Gilpin 8 3
LAIRD (Mr. J. C. Lund)......Green 8 3
TORBURY (Col. A. E. J. Wilson) J. Renwick 8 2
PUSSYFOOT C. by Star and Garter (Mr. W. L. Christie) ......R. Armstrong 8 0
MERRY CHRISTMAS F. by Flamboyant (Mr. R. J. Hughes)......R. J. Colling 7 13
SANPERE (Mr. E. M. Sykes)......Bellerby 7 13
POTATO-BEETLE (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) Leach, sen. 7 12
SPEY ROYAL (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie 7 12
SARASWATI C. by Sir Douglas (Mrs. E. A. Dodd) ......Madden 7 10
MOONSTRUCK (Mr. W. J. Bellerby) Bellerby 7 10
CROWDEN F. by Athlone (Mr. M. Constant) ......O'Sullivan 7 9
ABERDOVEY (Sir Edward Hanmer) Peacock 7 9
BRAISANTE (Mr. H. H. Golightly) Golightly 7 8
EAST AND WEST (Mr. W. F. Egerton) R. Armstrong 7 7
BRIGHT RAYS F. by The Vizier (Sir Lewis Richardson) ......G. Sadler 7 6
KITTIWYNK (Sir Thomas Putnam) Peacock 7 6
HIGHLAND FLING (Mr. M. Albrecht) Osborne 7 6
GRAND GOWN (Ld. Glanely)......Archer 7 6
ROYAL OUTING (Lord Fitzwilliam) M. Vasey 7 3
SQUARE LASS C. by Battle-axe (Miss A. Webster) ......McCormack 7 3
MANVERO (Mr. J. E. Anderton)......Ridley 6 12

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
	MANX MAID ......E. Fox	100/7
400	SIX WHEELER ......Thwaites	10/1
310	DARDANELLA ......J. Read	6/1
301	KNIPHOFIA ......Rimell	9/2
240	MAZENA ......D. Morris	8/1
000	KING'S COURIER II. ......H. Wragg	5/1
413	TORBURY ......Hulme	7/1
300	SANPERE ......Grace	10/1
002	POTATO BEETLE ......Baines	4/1
03	SPEY ROYAL ......Parker	100/8
030	MOONSTRUCK ......R. James	10/1
000	BRAISANTE ......Sherry	100/7
000	KITTIWINK ......F. Brooks	100/7
000	HIGHLAND FLING ......Berry	100/7
00	ROYAL OUTING ......Braithwaite	100/7
000	SQUARE LASS ......Topping	100/7
000	MANVERO ......S. Wragg	10/1
000	BRIGHT RAYS ......C. Richards	8/1

2.15—AUTUMN HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. 1¼ m.

Age st. lb.
MAIA (Sir Thomas Putnam) ...Peacock 4 9 5
FORTUNE OF WAR (Mrs. D. Gardner) O'Sullivan 3 9 1
CYZARA (Major J. B. Foster) J. Renwick 6 8 13
KING'S FALLOCH (Sir Victor Sassoon) Crawford 6 8 10
DURATION II. (Mr. A. Falcon) Rintoul 5 8 9
SERVUS (Ld. Durham) ......P. Peck 4 8 6
WHINPARK (Mrs. R. Don) ......Thomson 4 8 6
DROPITIN (Mr. E. Gregory) Golightly 6 8 4
JICKY (Mr. A. H. Macaulay) J. Burns a 8 4
SHIPPON (Mr. T. Davidson) ...M. Vasey a 8 2
KEN HILL (7lb. ex.) (Sir Lycett Green) R. Armstrong 3 8 0
FRONT ROW (Mr. W. Webster) McCormick 6 7 9
MARZIPAN (Mr. E. M. Sykes) Bellerby 3 7 9
PLENTY (Mr. C. Howard) F. Armstrong 3 7 6
SESSAY WOOD (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick 4 7 6
GOLDEN BAY (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 3 7 5
LAYTHAM WHIN (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick 3 7 5
WISEACRE (Mr. J. Sharp) ......Walters 4 7 5
KATISHA (Mr. F. Gretton) ......Moreton 3 7 3
FITZHARDINGE (Mr. J. A. Moodie) G. Armstrong 4 7 0
FAIRHOLME (Lady Green) ...Hammett 3 7 0
CAPPED (Mr. A. K. Charlesworth) Botterill 4 7 0
STINGER (Mr. A. R. Heath) ...Morris 3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
002	WHINPARK ......H. Wragg	5/2
000	DROPITIN ......Sherry	10/1
433	SHIPPON ......Forsyth	6/1
200	FRONT ROW ......Parker	5/1
221	MARZIPAN ......Grace	9/2
021	KEN HILL ......C. Brown	7/2
014	SESSAY WOOD ......A. Berry	8/1
000	CAPPED ......Bentley	10/1
002	FAIRHOLME ......S. Wragg	10/1

2.45—MALTON SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 5f.

st. lb.
GRETA FIELD (Mr. E. H. Gregory) Golightly 9 0
SWISH (Mr. Clement Thompson)...Gunter 8 13
MISS MAUD F. by Tetrameter (Mr. R. Lumsden) ......Boyd 8 12
GRANDBOW (Ld. Glanely) ......Archer 8 11
TINDER G. by Count Ross (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson (7lb. ex.) ......Storie 8 9
LISMURA (Maj. T. G. N. Bardwell) F. Hartigan 8 4
LITTLE FLO (Mr. A. T. Reader) Reader 8 4
ADMIRABLE (Mrs. D. Gardner) O'Sullivan 8 4
VIVANDIERE (Mrs. G. Drummond) Leach, jun. 8 3
NAHLIN (Mr. F. J. Benson) ......E. Wilson 8 2
KING THRUSH (Sweet Thrush c.) (Mr. H. H. Collins) ......L. Collins 8 1
FOREST BROOM (Col. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick 7 11
CUPBOARD (Mr. G. Burton)......Sheridan 7 10
JANIE (Mr. C. E. Howard) R. Armstrong 7 9
SAUCY GIRL G. by Galloper Light (Mr. Harcourt Johnstone) ......J. Dawson 7 6
GIGGLESWICK (Mr. J. C. Lund)......Green 7 6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
002	GRETA FIELD ......Walsh	5/1
401	SWISH ......D. Morris	4/1
211	TINDER GEE ......J. Taylor	5/2
000	LISMURA ......Sirett	8/1
050	VIVANDIERE ......Baines	6/1
340	FOREST BROOM ......Stone	8/1
030	CUPBOARD ......Kirby	10/1
300	GIGGLESWICK ......S. Wragg	10/1
000	WALLPAPER ......Parker	7/1

WALLPAPER (Mr. S. Morris)......M. Vasey 7 6
CRAIGOWRIE (Sir Frederick Freake) F. Leader 7 1
IRISH TANGO (Mr. J. E. Drake)...Drake 6 13

3.15—NEW BUILDINGS HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 2 m.

Age st. lb.
NONCHALANT (M. E. de St. Alary) Gilpin 6 9 7
FORTUNE OF WAR (Mrs. D. Gardner) O'Sullivan 6 9 0
CYZARA (Maj. J. B. Foster) J. Renwick 6 8 13
SOSIE (Mrs. R. Don) ......Thomson a 8 12
BONNIE KELSO (Mr. A. Boazman) Peacock 5 8 7
TRUE NOTE (Mr. T. Davidson) M. Vasey 6 8 6
PEARDROP (Mr. F. Finn)......Bellerby 3 8 5
BLACON (Mr. L. P. Smith)......P. Lowe 5 8 0
ACIER (Mr. F. W. Dennis) ...Hamshaw 3 8 0
RED MARTEN (Mr. T. Davidson) Pope 4 8 0
REPERTOIRE (Mr. H. C. Miller) Dale 5 7 9
GLANYLLYN (Lord Ellesmere) D. Pickering 4 7 8
HALT (Mr. J. Sharp)......Walters 4 7 7
HEATHERWAY (Lord Glanely)...Archer 5 7 7
FOX RIVER (Mr. J. W. Manser) G. Manser 4 7 5
PASSING CLOUD (Mr. J. W. Hallett) Golightly 4 7 1
FITZHARDINGE (Mr. J. A. Moodie) G. Armstrong 4 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
221	CYZARA ......Hulme	4/1
440	SOSIE ......Thatcher	8/1
310	BONNIE KELSO ......J. Taylor	7/1
310	PEARDROP ......Grace	5/1
301	REPERTOIRE ......Thwaites	8/1
001	BLACON ......Graves	7/2
040	ACIER ......H. Wragg	10/1
003	RED MARTEN ......Forsyth	8/1
014	GLANYLLYN ......S. Wragg	9/2
100	FOX RIVER ......Sirett	10/1
033	PASSING CLOUD ......Sherry	10/1

3.45—THIRKLEBY SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 5 sovs. 6 f.

Age st. lb.
CREOLIAN (Mrs. J. Lewis) Leach, jun. 6 9 5
MARITIME (Mr. F. Armstrong) G. Armstrong a 8 10
LADY LONG (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 4 8 10
PERLE D'OR (Mr. C. A. Cowie) ...Cowie 3 8 9
GARRISON (Mr. L. Brook) ......Green a 8 7
WILLIAM'S MOUNT (Mr. Fred Armstrong) ......F. Armstrong 4 8 7
HAWKSWOOD (Mr. G. Crabtree) Pollock 4 8 6
WAITING (Major Middleton) McKenna 4 8 5
BLUE SOL (Mrs. E. Reynolds) G. Armstrong a 8 2
BRIDGE FORD (Mr. Beswick) ...Drake 4 8 0
SPRINGDALE (Mr. R. Lumsden) ...Boyd a 7 13
MARY'S SON (Mr. J. Davis) ...J. Scott 4 7 13
LASHAWAY (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) De Mestre 6 7 12
DELORAINE (Mr. Weeden) ...Coldbeck 4 7 12
UNISON (Mr. J. E. Anderton) ...Ridley a 7 12
GLAMIS MAID (Mr. W. McElroy) McKenna 5 7 11
SULKY (Mr. H. Clayton) G. Armstrong 3 7 11
FOSSGATE (Mr. J. Connor) ...Hammett 3 7 10
SKIAS (Mr. A. Edwards) ......Edwards a 7 9
STETCHWORTH (Mr. J. Sharp) Walters 4 7 9
ILLUSTRATION (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) Peacock 4 7 9
MILETUS (Mr. A. J. Pursell) ......Hett 3 7 9
THE LUCKY DREAM (Mr. A. Skelton) Skelton 3 7 9
LITTLE SQUIB (Mr. S. Morris) M. Vasey 4 7 7
ST. CORMAC (Mr. Gemmell) Whitaker a 7 6
CHIMPANZEE (Mr. G. Burton) Sheridan 6 7 3
ARD OR (Major L. Geipel) ...Skelton 4 7 0
ALIEN (Mr. C. E. Howard) ......Morris 3 7 0
MISLEDA (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie 3 7 0
LIMP (Mr. L. A. Oppenheim) Barthropp 3 7 0
LIKENESS (Mr. S. Glover) ......Renton 3 7 0
UKULELE (Mr. F. Finn) ......Bellerby 3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
440	LADY LONG ......Sirett	9/2
000	PERLE D'OR ......Flanagan	100/8
030	GARRISON ......H. Wragg	8/1
020	HAWKSWOOD ......E. Fox	10/1
400	BLUE SOL ......C. Brown	10/1
203	BRIDGEFORD ......Topping	10/1
310	MARY'S SON ......Graves	7/2
004	LASHAWAY ......C. Ray	7/1
000	UNISON ......S. Wragg	100/8
200	FOSSGATE ......Duckenfield	100/8
000	STETCHWORTH ......E. James	8/1
030	LITTLE SQUIB ......Parker	100/8
000	ST. CORMAC ......C. Richards	7/1
330	CHIMPANZEE ......Walsh	10/1
040	MISLEDA ......Gilchrist	100/8
300	LIMP ......J. Read	100/8
000	UKELELE ......Christie	100/8

4.15—RIEVAULX PLATE of 150 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. 1 m.

Age st. lb.
POMARSKI (Mr. H. B. Blagrave) Faulkner 4 11 2
OSPRAY (Mr. H. D. Dennis) Bullock 4 11 12
ROYAL FALCON (Mrs. G. Drummond) Leach, jun. 4 11 2
BLYTH WARRIOR (Lord Barnby) Peacock 5 11 9
ROYAL FALLOCH (Mr. G. P. Sanday) Sanday 5 11 9
LANGTON MAID (Ld. Barnby) Peacock 4 11 9
GREY HAWK (Mr. R. Dand) ......Dand 5 11 7
GOLDEN OPTIC (Sir L. Green) R. Armstrong 4 11 7
SUN GOLD (Mr. G. Gunter) ...Gunter 6 11 7
RUSHAWAY (Capt. A. S. Wilson) Storie 4 11 4
JEHU (Capt. E. Elgee)......F. Hartigan 4 11 4
HIDALGO II. (Mr. J. A. Dawson) J. Dawson 4 10 7
SILENT GUN (Mr. L. H. Barker) Barker 5 10 4
HOLLY TWIG (Mr. R. P. Botterill) Botterill 4 10 4
ARD OR (Maj. L. Geipel)......Skelton 4 10 4
COUNTESS ALDEGOND (Mr. G. Gelsthorpe) ......G. Manser 4 10 4
PEPEETA (Lord Glanely) ......Archer 4 10 4
POLYLITE (Mr. W. L. Hall)......Hall 4 10 4
SOUNDLESS (Mr. R. Renton) Renton 4 10 4
LITTLE BUFFET (Mr. R. Renton) Renton 4 10 4
CYLGATE (Mr. F. Sedgwick) F. Armstrong 4 10 4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	POMARSKI ......Mr. Blagrave	10/1
140	LANGTON MAID ......Mr. Dugdale	5/1
012	CYLGATE ......Mr. F. Armstrong	5/1
024	GREY HAWK ......Mr. Dand	8/1
000	SUN GOLD ......Mr. Gunter	7/1
400	HIDALGO II. ......Mr. Misa	2/1
004	COUNTESS ALDEGOND ......Mr. West	10/1
	SOUNDLESS ......Mr. Renton	6/1

ALEXANDRA PARK:

SELECTIONS.

Featherweight Plate—**African Smoke.**
Juvenile Selling—**The Inconstant Nymph.**
Totteridge Selling—**Yellow Underwing.**
October Nursery—**Thirlmere.**
Sprint Plate—**Canfield.***
Barnet Plate—**Quick Stick.**
Tottenham Stakes—**Toreador.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Canfield (Alexandra Park) and Glanyllyn (Thirsk).

1.15—FEATHER-WEIGHT TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 100 sovs. Winner and second free. 5 f.

st. lb.
LORD WARDEN (Mrs. L. Beer) ......Beatty 6 8
IDLE HOUR (Lord Curzon of Kedleston) Beatty 6 8
CORPORAL NYM (Lord Derby) F. Butters 6 8
GRAND STAND (Lord Dewar) M. Hartigan 6 8
HEATH POULT C., by Glanmerin (Mr. S. D. Pickering) ......D. Pickering 6 8
BELTED KNIGHT (Mr. C. F. Sixsmith) Private 6 8
BOMBAST (Mr. G. D. Smith) ......Rimell 6 8
CAVALIER (Lord Southampton) ......Beatty 6 8
PICTURE (Lord Astor) ......A. Taylor 6 5
ZARETTA (Maj. W. V. Beatty) ......Beatty 6 5
OASIS (Lord Carnarvon) ......R. Dawson 6 5
DIANORA (Mr. A. R. Cox) ......A. Taylor 6 5
BRUSHLIGHT (Lord Derby) ......F. Butters 6 5
FORTLET F., by Sunstar (Mr. M. Field) Boyd-Rochfort 6 5
HAKIHARA (Mr. A. Gemmell) ....Whitaker 6 5
WHITE SHIELD (Mr. A. Gemmell) Whitaker 6 5
THUS FAR (Mr. F. W. Leach) Leach, jun. 6 5
RYE WATER (Mr. J. J. Maher) ......Persse 6 5
SON OF MARS (Mr. J. E. Rowson) ...Hogg 6 5
JACQUELINE OF HAINAULT (Mr. W. T. Sears) ......Leach, jun. 6 5
SYMPHONIE (Baron F. de Tuyll) F. Hartigan 6 5
AFRICAN SMOKE (Maj. A. F. Vigor) W. Nightingall 6 5
NORTHWARD (Mrs. E. Wallace) ...Larkin 6 5
FREE COUNTRY (Mr. T. Walls) ......Walls 6 5
MAIDEN LANE (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) L. Hammond 6 5
LIDO LADY (Mr. G. S. Whitelaw) L. Hammond 6 5
RATHTOI (Mr. F. Wilkins) ......Rimell 6 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
00	GRAND STAND ......Shearing	8/1
	HEATH POULT C. ......Bond	10/1
40	BOMBAST ......McQuone	8/1
40	CAVALIERO ......Stephenson	5/1
0	PICTURE ......F. Payne	7/1
0	ZARETTA ......Cordell	6/1
030	OASIS ......Bartlam	8/1
4	BRUSHLIGHT ......Freeman	9/2
200	FORTLET FILLY ......R. Butchers	10/1
	WHITE SHIELD ......Finney	10/1
000	THUS FAR ......Powell	100/8
00	SON O' MARS ......M. O'Neale	100/8
000	SYMPHONIE ......W. Peel	8/1
340	AFRICAN SMOKE ......Kelly	2/1
002	NORTHWARD ......Graham	6/1
400	FREE COUNTRY ......Davidson	100/8

2.0—JUVENILE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second rec. 5 sovs. 5 f.

st. lb.
GIBSIDE FAIRY (Mr. G. Beighton) Hamshaw 8 11
NAHLIN (Mr. F. J. Benson) ......E. Wilson 8 11
GALLOWGLASS (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) V. Smyth 9 0
CRIME (Sir Alfred Butt) ......Wootton 8 11
WATCH CHAIN (Mr. H. Collins) E. Piggott 9 0
PAS ENCORE (Mr. M. Corrigan) ...Private 8 11
DEAS MHUMA F., by Orpiment (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen) ......O. Bell 8 11
GLEANED (Mr. T. A. Edge) ......Poole 8 11
FLAME SHOT (Mr. R. J. Froome) Hobbs 9 0
IFREDA (Mr. F. Gilbert) ......Coldbeck 8 11
GOOSIE F., by Somme Kiss (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) ......C. Leader 8 11
MADEMOISELLE (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 8 11
FLAMING FLAG (Mr. H. Leader) H. Leader 8 11
THE INCONSTANT NYMPH (Mr. D. O'M. Leahy) ......Hogg 8 11
BLUE FOX (Mrs. W. Murray) ......Cottrill 8 11
FREEWILL (Mr. W. A. Read) C. Chapman 9 0
INFATUATION (Mr. W. Read) C. Chapman 8 11
LUMVILLE C., by Irishman (Mr. A. C. Schwartz) ......H. Leader 9 0
CHEERIO (Mr. P. Thellusson) ......Cottrill 8 11
LUCINA (Mr. S. Wootton) ......Wootton 8 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
011	GALLOWAY LASS ......R. Jones	5/1
00	WATCH CHAIN ......A. Burns	100/8
20	FREE WILL ......F. Fox	8/1
301	GIBSIDE FAIRY ......Perryman	7/1
004	NAHLIN ......Jelliss	100/8
000	CRIME ......R. Dick	9/2
310	GLEANED ......Winter	4/1
421	GOOSIE FILLY ......J. Childs	6/1
300	MADEMOISELLE ......W. Peel	10/1
100	FLAMING FLAG ......J. Leach	8/1
113	THE INCONSTANT NYMPH ......G. Richards	3/1
00	INFATUATION ......Brennan	10/1
011	LICINA ......Smirke	2/1

2.30—TOTTERIDGE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 5 sovs. 1 m. 100 yds.

Age st. lb.
SILVER ISLAND (Mr. J. Barnes) Hedges 6 8 11
POLANGE (Mr. S. Bennet) ...S. Bennet 6 8 11
CURRAHACLE (Mr. L. Bowerman) Poole a 8 11
THISTABEL (Mrs. T. Carthew) Wootton 6 8 11
SONIA CAR'OL (Mr. A. Douglas-Pennant) Hogg 4 8 11
YELLOW UNDERWING (Mr. T. A. Edge) ......V. Smyth 6 9 0
PALESTRO (Sir Frederick Eley) F. Scott 4 9 0
GRANPAU (Mr. R. Glasspool) C. Leader 6 8 11
MY TOY (Mr. A. C. E. Howeson) W. Nightingall 3 8 4
SPARTLETON (Mrs. R. Joel) ...Hyams a 9 0
BRIDGE OF DUN (Mr. R. Joel) Hyams a 9 0
VIEUX-TURNHOUT (Mr. Jonesco) Beard 5 9 0
VINDICTIVE (Mrs. J. Lewis) Leach, jun. a 8 11
HATAMEN (Mr. H. C. Miller) ......Dale 4 9 0
VENETIAN STAR (Mr. F. Pullitzer) Hanley 4 8 11
CREVECŒUR II. (H.H. Maharaja of Rajpipla) ......F. Scott 5 9 0
DARK LAD (Mr. V. Smyth) ...V. Smyth 3 8 4
SET FAST (Mr. W. H. Thorpe) O. Bell 5 9 0
CONOPEUM (Mr. P. Thrale) ......Thrale 4 8 11
FLYING HAPS (Mrs. M. Turner) Private 3 8 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
111	YELLOW UNDERWING G. Richards	5/2
300	PALESTRO ......S. Donoghue	7/1
000	SPARTLETON ......Elliott	10/1
034	BRIDGE OF DUN ......Smirke	8/1
	VIEUX TURNHOUT ......Lane	100/8
040	HATAMEN ......Jelliss	100/8
112	THISTABEL ......Field	7/2
112	SONIA CAROL ......Beary	6/1
100	GRANPAU ......Southey	8/1
434	VINDICTIVE ......J. Leach	6/1
040	VENETIAN STAR ......Marshall	100/8
001	POLANGE ......H. Leach	10/1
011	MY TOY ......Perryman	7/1
234	DARK LAD ......R. Jones	5/1

3.0—OCTOBER NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second rec. 20 sovs. 5 f.

st. lb.
TINSTONE (7lb. ex.) (Mr. S. Wootton) Wootton 9 1
SUSPICION (Mrs. H. E. Beddington) F. Hartigan 9 0
PUISNE (Ld. Wimborne) ......J. Jarvis 8 13
THIRLMERE (Ld. Derby) ...Frank Butters 8 11
CANTATRICE (M. E. Esmond) ...J. Jarvis 8 11
PENNY ROCK (Mrs. Roundell) ......Larkin 8 7
VINDICATION (Ld. Dewar) ...D. Pickering 8 7
THYRA F., by Erl King (Mr. V. G. Adams) Hobbs 8 2
SONNING LOCK (Mr. D. Landale Wilson) Wilmot 8 1
DISPOSITION (Mr. D. M. Gant) ...P. Lowe 8 0
POLYGONUM F., by Golden Orb (Sir Wm. Cooke) ......Platt 7 13
METRICAL (Mr. Jesse Brown) ......Hogg 7 12
OUTLOOK F., by Somme Kiss (Capt. J. G. R. Homfray) ......Sherwood 7 12
SOVEREIGN LADY (Sir B. Sheffield) Higgs 7 11
ATHENIAN GIRL G., by Ruff's Guide (Lady Aylesford) ......Turner 7 11
MONA LOMOND (Mrs. Walton) ...Killalee 7 10
POLYCRETA F., by Franklin (Lady Garioch) 7 10
WHO (Mrs. W. V. Beatty) ......Beatty 7 9
PLEASANT F., by Levanger (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) ......Johnson 7 9
VERTE LUMIERE (Mrs. J. Bancroft) Easterbee 7 8

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
401	TINSTONE ......Field	5/1
111	SUSPICION ......S. Donoghue	7/2
144	PUISINE ......Elliott	8/1
000	THIRLMERE ......Weston	7/1
130	PENNY ROCK ......Caldwell	10/1
000	VINDICATION ......R. Jones	100/6
130	THYRA FILLY ......F. Lane	8/1
040	SONNING LOCH ......G. Barber	100/6
000	DISPOSITION ......A. Burns	100/6
000	POLYGONUM FILLY ......Beary	10/1
000	METRICAL ......G. Richards	6/1
040	OUTLOOK FILLY ......Perryman	10/1
024	SOVEREIGN LADY ......J. Pigg	8/1
040	ATHENIAN GIRL ......Brennan	100/6
000	MONA LOMOND ......Dines	100/8
000	POLYCRETA FILLY ......Southey	100/8
000	VERT LUMIERE ......P. Beasley	10/1

3.30—LONDON SPRINT PLATE (handicap) of 1,000 sovs. Second rec. 100 sovs., third 50 sovs. 5 f.

Age st. lb.
LORD WEMBLEY (Mr. U. H. R. Broughton) ......O. Bell 4 9 0
CYNOS (7lb ex.) Maj. T. G. N. Bardwell) ......F. Hartigan a 9 0
CANFIELD (Capt. Lionel Montagu) F. Hartigan 4 8 13
SNIP-SNAP (Ld. Lonsdale) F. Darling 5 8 10
FOURTH HAND (Maj. McCalmont) Persse 3 8 5
SWEETIE (Mr. C. Howard) F. Darling 5 8 4
TORMENTILLA (Sir W. Cooke) ...Platt 3 8 3
PRESTO (Mr. S. W. Beer) ...Leach, jun. 3 8 2

NIPISIQUIT (Ld. Beaverbrook) C. Leader 3 8 2
BERENICE (Mrs. Shafto) ...... J. Jarvis 3 8 2
SCARLET ORB (Mrs. Carthew) Wootton 3 8 1
TAG END (Mr. J. B. Joel) ...... C. Peck 3 8 0
WARRIOR'S STAR (Mrs. Edgar Wallace) Larkin 3 8 0
NADIA (Mr. Sol Joel) ...... Earl 3 7 13
JOCK TROTTER (Mr. P. Gilpin) Gilpin 3 7 12
PORTLAND (Capt. Dunne) B.-Rochfort 4 7 10
QUIET STROLL (Mr. F. Peck) Threlfell 4 7 4
CHICHESTER CROSS (Mr. Charlie Howard) ......Howard 3 7 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
210	LORD WEMBLEY ......S. Donoghue	5/1
011	CANFIELD ......F. Fox	4/1
003	SNIP SNAP ......J. Childs	7/1
000	FOURTH HAND ......H. Beasley	100/8
200	TORMENTILLA ......Beary	6/1
000	PRESTO ......H. Leach	100/8
110	SCARLET ORB ......Smirke	5/1
220	WARRIOR'S STAR ......Marshall	100/8
013	NADIA ......Robertson	7/1
303	JOCK TROTTER ......G. Richards	9/2
113	PORTLAND ......Caldwell	10/1
004	QUIET STROLL ......Weston	100/8
000	CHICHESTER CROSS ......L. Adams	100/6

4.0—BARNET HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second rec. 20 sovs., third 10 sovs. 1 m. 50 yds.

Age st. lb.
BISQUINE (Baron Baeyens) ...MacCall 3 9 0
WATCHFUL (Miss F. B. Hogg) Hogg 4 8 13
BURNING THOUGHTS (Mrs. Cornelius) Larkin 5 8 7
CREVECŒUR II. (H.H. Maharajah of Rajpipla) ......F. Scott 5 8 6
QUICK STICK (Mrs. Carthew) Wootton 4 8 5
TABENNITE (Mrs. Bancroft) Easterbee 6 8 5
MAT McGLUE (Mr. Stutfield) Langlands 5 8 4
GIFTED (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 5 8 4
LYRA (Mr. A. Bassett) ...L. Hammond 3 8 3
LOCHSHEE (Mr. H. C. Miller) ......Dale 5 8 2
CLAROBIE (Sir Ernest Wills) De Winton 6 8 1
SOUCHONG (Mrs. Cornelius) ......Larkin 3 8 0
ROMAN EMPEROR (Baron F. de Tuyll) F. Hartigan 3 7 12
FATHALLAH (Ld. Queenborough) G. Renwick 3 7 10
HOUDALE (Capt. J. G. R. Homfray) Sherwood a 7 9
DUNLAVIN LASS (Mr. H. Horne) Kirk 3 7 8
PLUMBAGO (Mr. W. J. Gresson) Rimell 5 7 8
WAITING (Maj. E. Middleton) McKenna 4 7 7
MOHICAN (Mrs. R. Bonsor) ...Private 4 7 7
GOLDEN EMBLEM (Lt.-Col. R. B. Johnson) ......Johnson 3 7 5
TOPAZ (Mrs. J. McDonald) F. Hartigan 3 7 5
BONIFACE (Mrs. F. Bullock) R. Jones 5 7 3
GREY PHILIP (Mr. R. Middlemas) J. Reardon 3 6 13
HIGH SPRAY (Mr. F. W. G. Weeden) Coldbeck 4 6 10

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	BURNING THOUGHTS ......Marshall	10/1
414	CREVECOEUR II. ......S. Donoghue	4/1
222	QUICK STICK ......Smirke	3/1
022	TABENNITE ......P. Beasley	9/2
220	GIFTED ......Beary	8/1
000	LOCHSHEE ......Jelliss	10/1
002	CLAROBIE ......L. Read	8/1
341	ROMAN EMPEROR ......F. Fox	4/1
040	FATHALLAH ......A. Wragg	8/1
043	HOUDALE ......G. Richards	7/1
200	DUNLAVIN LASS ......A. Burns	100/8
000	MOHICAN ......Dines	100/8
200	BONIFACE ......Robertson	100/8
230	GREY PHILIP ......Cordell	10/1
000	HIGH SPRAY ......Alford	10/1

4.30—TOTTENHAM STAKES of 3 sovs. each with 300 sovs. added. Winner to rec. 300 sovs (less stake), and the surplus to be divided—two-thirds to second and one-third to third. 1¼ m.

Age st. lb.
PERFECT SON (Sir A. Butt) Wootton 5 9 11
DAKOTA (Mr. S. Wootton) ...Wootton 4 9 11
MAT McGLUE (Mr. Stutfield) Langlands 5 9 8
L'HABIT VERT (Mr. C. Jarvis) G. Ward 5 8 11
CROWN EMBLEM (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis 3 8 10
KEPI AMARANTE (Queenborough) G. Bennett 4 8 8
BAYREUTH (Mr. T. Walton) Killalee 6 8 8
ROSELAKE (Capt. H. Dixon) ... O. Bell 3 8 7
LA TRACE (Mr. W. A. Read) Foster 3 8 7
PARNHOLT (Maj. T. G. N. Bardwell) C. Leader 3 8 0
BIG VAL (Mr. H. Martin) ......F. Scott 3 8 0
GAY GORDON (Mr. W. A. Higgs) Higgs 3 8 0
TOREADOR (Mr. E. L. Short) W. Nightingall 3 8 0
NEVER CROSS (Ld. Astor) ...A. Taylor 3 7 11
DITHYRAMB (Sir H. Bird) G. Bennett 3 7 11
GRANDE VITESSE (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis 3 7 11
ACIER (Mr. F. W. Dennis) ...Hamshaw 3 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
043	PERFECT SON ......Smirke	5/2
003	L'HABIT VERT ......Nolan	8/1
130	CROWN EMBLEM ......Elliott	6/1
232	KEPI AMARANTE ......Beary	9/2
313	LA TRACE ......F. Fox	6/1
344	PARNHOLT ......Perryman	7/1
211	TOREADOR ......G. Richards	5/4

THIRSK MEETING.

GOLDEN KING SURVIVES AN OBJECTION.

1.45—ARNCLIFFE HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 1 m.
Sir L. Green's b. g. KEN HILL, by Somme Kiss—Mary Marjorie, 3, 7-5 ......C. Brown 1
Mr. C. Vyner's MARINADE, 3, 7-6 ...J. Sirett 2
Mr. F. Krohn's YUKON, 6, 7-12 ......C. Parker 3

Also ran:—Molloy (H. Wragg), My Crackers (G. Hulme), Scotch Trout (J. Taylor), Impress (J. Thwaites), Golden Smile (W. Nevett), Sleight of Hand (J. Read), Victoria (R. Grace), Dunin (G. Walsh), Orange Mist (S. Wragg), Going Home (W. Christie), Taurina (C. Richards), Amethea (A. Berry). Off 1.47. (Winner trained by R. Armstrong.)

Betting—4 to 1 agst. KEN HILL, 5 to 1 Scotch Trout, 7 to 1 each My Crackers, Impress and Sleight of Hand, 8 to 1 Orange Mist, 10 to 1 Yukon, 100 to 8 Marinade, 25 to 1 any other.

Won by two lengths; one length. Dunin was fourth and Impress last.

2.15—BALDERSBY SELLING WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 1½ m.
Mr. R. Renton's ch. g. POSTCARD, by Bay d'Or—Petit Bleu, 5, 7-10 ......J. Caldwell 1
Major F. B. Cobb's SIMKIN, 4, 8-5...C. Brown 2
Mr. F. E. Peck's SPINNING STILL, 5, 8-5 D. Jones 3

Also ran—Holly Twig (J. Bentley). Off 2.15. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Simkin, 11 to 4 Spinning Still, 3 to 1 POSTCARD, 7 to 2 Holly Twig.

Won by four lengths; a length and a half.

The winner was bought in for 105 gns.

2.45—NORTH YORKSHIRE NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 250 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. E. T. Prichard's ch. c. GOLDEN KING, by Golden Orb—Queen Canidia, 7-3 ...J. Sirett 1
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's SUN AND AIR GELDING, 7-8 ......A. Berry 2
Mr. L. Brook's GLANREEF, 9-0 ......H. Wragg 3

Also ran—Lundy Light (J. Thwaites), Wood Gal (J. Taylor), Misdemeanour (E. Forsyth), Ardour (R. James), Raygill (J. Caldwell), Half-Hoop filly (W. Nevett), Orien (J. Duckenfield), Hornet's Nest (S. Wragg), Wise Kiss (C. Parker), Fair Nun colt (C. Brown), Norah Elsie filly (C. Richards), Miss Pamela (J. Read). Off 2.48. (Winner trained by F. Hartigan.)

Betting—15 to 8 agst. GOLDEN KING, 4 to 1 Hornet's Nest, 9 to 2 Glanreef, 8 to 1 each Norah Elsie filly and Raygill, 10 to 1 each Lundy Light and Misdemeanour, 25 to 1 any other.

Won by a length and a half; a head. Hornet's Nest was fourth and Wood Gal last.

An objection to the winner for crossing was overruled.

3.15—SUTTON HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. A. Bourne's b. f. IONA, by Valens—Helvia, 4, 7-9 ......J. Caldwell 1
Lord Glanely's QUIVIL, 3, 8-4 ...J. Thwaites 2
Mr. H. Blagrave's ANDY, 4, 7-10 ...J. Sirett 3

Also ran—Doorway (J. Taylor), Lady Clara (E. Forsyth), Pharisee (D. Jones), Ca y Est (J. Read), Solymelus (H. Wragg), Little Red Riding Hood (W. Stephenson), Golden Optic (C. Brown), Hectic Polly (W. Nevett), Cloud Nymph (S. Wragg), Saintly Maid (W. Christie). Off 3.16. (Winner trained by W. Renwick.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Ca y Est, 5 to 1 each Doorway, Golden Optic and Andy, 10 to 1 each Quivil and Cloud Nymph, 100 to 7 IONA or any other.

Won by two lengths; a length and a half. Little Red Riding Hood was fourth and Solymelus last.

3.45—SESSAY SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f.
Mr. G. Hargreaves's br. g. SGOR DEARG, by Mount Royal—Volhynia, 8-7 ...P. Donoghue 1
Major J. B. Foster's LA SAUTEUSE GELDING, 8-1 ......H. Stone 2
Mr. W. Balmforth's TUFFAN, 6-11 W. Christie 3

Also ran—Val Haki (J. Caldwell), Bachelorstown (S. Wragg), Bowler (F. Brooks), Troutford (R. James), Sylvia Hackett colt (P. Beasley), The Howling Mob (J. Read), Alderburg (J. Sirett), Marcia filly (R. Gilchrist), Optic (E. Fox), Thermee (A. Berry). Off 3.47. (Winner trained by R. T. Waugh.)

Betting—3 to 1 agst. Tuffan, 4 to 1 Alderburg, 5 to 1 each SGOR DEARG and Sylvia Hackett colt, 7 to 1 Val Haki, 8 to 1 Bowler, 10 to 1 each Bachelorstown and La Sauteuse gelding, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length and a half; a neck. Bowler was fourth and Marcia filly last.

The winner was sold to Major J. B. Foster for 210 guineas.

4.15—NEWBY PLATE of 150 sovs. Three year olds. 2 m.
Sir M. Wilson's br. g. ARCTIC STAR, by Achtoi—Skypress, 9-2 ......J. Sirett 1
Sir G. Renwick's KWILLOW, 8-9 ......J. Taylor 2
Mr. H. J. Newman's NEWTON ABBOT, 8-9 H. Wragg 3

Also ran—Jack Peary (G. Hulme), Brown Paper (J. Caldwell), Tudor (C. Brown), Craigentinny (E. Forsyth), Merriwink (C. Parker). Off 4.17. (Winner trained by Tabor.)

Betting—6 to 4 on ARCTIC STAR, 5 to 2 agst. Newton Abbot, 8 to 1 Jack Peary, 20 to 1 any other.

Won by a length; eight lengths. Brown Paper was fourth and Merriwink last.

LISTOWEL MEETING.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4 and 5.

ORDER OF RUNNING.

FIRST DAY.

Island Plate ...... 2 0 Listowel Plate 3 30
Stand Plate ...... 2 30 Town Plate 4 0
Ballybunion Plate.. 3 0

SECOND DAY.

Kerry Plate ...... 2 0 Stewards' Plate ... 3 30
Tralee Plate ...... 2 30 Killarney Plate ... 4 0
Tradesmen's Plate.. 3 0

GOWRAN PARK MEETING.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6.

Gowran Plate ...... 2 0 Stand Plate 3 30
Kilkenny Plate ... 2 30 Autumn Plate 4 0
Committee Plate... 3 0 Grange Plate 4 30

BALDOYLE MEETING.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8.

Killester Plate .... 2 45 Claremont Plate.... 4 15
Flying Plate ...... 3 15 October S'chase ... 4 45
Portmarnock Plate 3 45 Marino Plate 5 15

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One mile six furlongs.

(FINAL ACCEPTANCES.)

Age st. lb.
CEYLONESE (Mrs. T. Coombs) ......Coombs 4 9 6
ROYAL MILLER (Mr. J. T. Rogers) Owner 4 9 3
PROSPICE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)......Owner 6 8 13
O MAY (Mr. A. Willis)......Parkinson 5 8 13
LA PETITE CHOSE (Mr. John Burns) Macaulay 4 8 12
PUFF PUFF (Mr. John Burns) Macaulay 3 8 11
MERNAULT (Mr. John Ryan)......Keays 4 8 10
TONY LAD (Mr. M. Cuddy)......Ussher a 8 6
GAME HEN (Mr. E. McCartan Mooney) (5lb. ex.) ......Fetherston 4 8 5
ROYAL ORB (Mr. John Adams)......Ray 6 8 4
LADY LUCIENNE (Mr. O. T. V. Slocock) Owner 4 8 3
SKIDAW (Mr. W. P. Gill)......J. Rogers 3 8 3
MILLBANK (Mr. C. McLaughlin) Rankin 4 8 2
LADY LAVENDER (Mr. John Carroll) Kirwan 5 8 2
SOUTHERN PRINCE (Mr. M. Cunningham) Owner a 8 2
OLD ORKNEY (Mr. A. H. Macaulay) Owner 3 8 2
BARLEY KNOWE (Mr. C. L. Mackean) Blake 3 8 2
CARLOVIA (Mr. W. E. Melbourne) Coombs 3 8 1
CUDDLER (Mr. J. Turner)......Jeffery 3 8 1
RED LEG (Mr. F. Rogers)......Hunter 4 7 11
AUTUMN FIRE (Mrs. T. Coombs) Coombs 3 7 9
LORD BURDON (Mr. C. Fagan)....Rankin 3 7 5
CROW FALLOCH (Mr. E. Curran)...Jeffery 3 7 5
TROSSACHS (Mr. J. G. Hartigan)...Owner 4 7 0
SAME AGAIN (Mr. E. Delany)......Owner 5 7 0
MALICE (Mr. D. Murray)......Owner 3 7 0

The following were struck out September 28:
POLISH PATRIOT (Mr. T. Walton) Killalee a 10 0
CAPRIER (H.H. Aga Khan)......P. Dawson a 9 10
LA DOUAIRIERE (H.H. Aga Khan) P. Dawson 3 9 5
ROSELAKE (Capt. Dixon)......Bell 3 9 0
FIDDLEBACK (Mr. Jas. Burns) Macaulay a 8 8

The following were struck out September 21:
LOMOND'S LAKE (Mr. P. W. Shaw) Ferguson 5 9 7
ELPHENOR (Mr. I. J. Blake)......Blake 3 9 5
WEST INDIES (Lady Mahon)......Grundy 3 9 5
PEARLEEN (Mr. H. J. Tully)......Owner a 9 5
ANNAN DALE (Hon. K. Mackay) H. Hartigan 5 9 1
BANNIE (Mr. B. O'Donnell)......Collins 6 9 1
ORA HILL (Mr. C. L. Mackean)..Blake 3 9 0
MISS DRUCE (Mr. M. J. Farrell) Dawson a 8 10
STRIPED SILK (Mr. R. Power)......Ussher 6 8 8
SOUTHERN CALL (Miss A. Kidston) H. Hartigan 4 8 7
TIRANOGUE (Mr. W. W. Ashe)......Owner a 8 4
PEARLMORE (Miss M. McDonnell) McGrath a 7 12
PROUD MAISIE (Mr. J. W. Widger) Widger 6 7 12
REDAN (Col. Sir G. Abercromby) H. Hartigan 5 7 8
ROYAL EARN (Mr. D. Sullivan) Fetherston 3 7 3
FINGLAS PRINCE (Mr. C. McLaughlin) Rankin 3 7 0
NELL GWYNNE (Mr. J. Hunter)......Owner 3 7 0
STEERING CLEAR (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) Grundy 3 7 0

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KINSELLA WINS ON POINTS.

The boxing tournament at the Rotunda Gardens last night attracted a good attendance. Of the eight bouts staged the meeting of Kinsella (Phœnix) and Guard Mulcahy proved the best contest of the evening. Both men displayed clever ringcraft, and the superior training of Kinsella enabled him to win on points. A paper-weight contest between Walsh and Kelly, of the North City Club was a lively affair. Both lads gave a clever display, and the victory of Kelly was just deserved. All the other bouts went the scheduled distance, with the exception of the Metcalfe and Kelly bout, both of the A.A.A. Kelly retired in the fifth round. The attendance included General Eoin O'Duffy, Major-General Murphy, and Colonel Broy. The prizes were distributed by Major-General Murphy. Details:—

SIX ROUNDS CONTESTS.

Chase (Phœnix) beat Hughes (North City) on points.
Mooney (Dublin) beat McGuinness (Drogheda) on points.
Cullen (A.A.A.) and O'Donnell (A.A.A.) boxed a draw.
Whelan (Phœnix) beat Walsh (A.A.A.) on points.
Metcalfe (A.A.A.) beat Kelly (A.A.A.), the latter retiring in the fifth round.
Kinsella (Phœnix) beat Guard Mulcahy on points.
Guard McCabe beat Fahy (St. Andrew's) on points.

FOUR ROUNDS CONTEST.

Kelly (North City) beat Walsh (North City) on points

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HUNTING.

WESTMEATH HOUNDS.

The Westmeath Hounds enjoyed a very good morning's cubbing at Lisnabin on Wednesday last. The new Master, Captain C. Winter, had no difficulty in finding foxes, in spite of bad scent. After some two hours' hunting a cub was killed, the first this season, but hounds did not show the interest that this important step in the training merited. A fox was then run to ground, and when a terrier was put down three foxes bolted, and these were hunted for some time, but without another kill.

KILDARE HOUNDS.

Cub-hunting fixtures:—Tuesday, October 4th, Glenmore; Thursday, October 6th, Martinstown; Saturday, October 8th, Castletown. At 9 a.m.

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JUNIOR INTERNATIONAL.
Scotland v. Irish Free State Juniors. Celtic Park, Glasgow.

FREE STATE LEAGUE.
Shelbourne v. Bray Unknowns. Shelbourne Park.
St. James's Gate v. Fordsons. St. James's Park.
Athlone Town v. Bohemians. Athlone.

IRISH LEAGUE.
Bangor v. Linfield. Windsor Park, Belfast.
Distillery v. Glentoran. The Oval, Belfast.
Glenavon v. Cliftonville. Cliftonville, Belfast.
Celtic v. Barn. Carrick.
Queen's Island v. Portadown. Portadown.
Larne v. Coleraine. Coleraine.
Newry v. Ards. Ards.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—DIVISION I.
Bendigo v. St. James's Gate B. Thatch.
Drumcondra v. Vickers. Tolka Park.
Frankfort v. Shelbourne B. Vernon avenue.
Shamrock Rovers v. Strandville. Milltown.

LEINSTER SENIOR LEAGUE—DIVISION II.
Bohemians C. v. Blackrock Hospital. Shandon Park.
Bray Unknowns v. Carroll's Athletic. Bray. 2.30.
Civil Service v. Clarence. Cabra.
Distillery v. Richmond Asylum. Blanchardstown.
Imperial Tobacco Co. v. Drumcondra. Crumlin.
Richmond United v. R. and I. S.P. Co. Church road.
St. Pauls v. Tramway Athletic. Crumlin.

Bohemians—Captain H. Cannon (capt.); J. Robinson, J. McCarthy; J. McIlroy, R. Thomas, W. Gallagher; J. Bermingham, W. Dennis, J. White, C. Robinson, H. Gill. Meet Carlisle Buildings 12 sharp.

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Irish Times......	African Smoke.	The Inconstant Nymph.	Yellow Underwing	Thirlmere.	Canfield.*	Quick Stick.	Toreador.
Galtee More......	—	—	—	Thirlmere.	Portland, each way.	—	Toreador.
S. Life and Sportsman	African Smoke.	The Inconstant Nymph.	Palestro.	Thirlmere.	Jock Trotter.	Roman Emperor.	Toreador.*
Man on the Spot......	Brushlight.*	Blue Fox.	Yellow Underwing.	Suspicion.	Canfield.*	Roman Emperor.	Toreador.
Westminster Gazette	African Smoke.	The Inconstant Nymph	Yellow Underwing.	Thirlmere.	Portland.	Tabennite.	Toreador.
Daily Express......	Brushlight or African Smoke.	The Inconstant Nymph.	Yellow Underwing or Thistabel.	Sovereign Lady, each way.	Nadia* each way.	Roman Emperor or Tabennite.	Toreador, next best.
Daily Mirror......		Gleaned.	Yellow Underwing.	Verte Lumiere.	Jock Trotter.	Lyra.	Toreador.
Daily Sketch......	African Smoke.	Gallowglass.	Thistabel.	Outlook filly.	Canfield.*	Roman Emperor.	Toreador.
Star......	African Smoke.	Gallowglass.	Yellow Underwing.	Suspicion.*	Canfield.	Roman Emperor.	Toreador.
Evening News......	Brushlight.*	Flaming Flag.	Yellow Underwing.*	Puisne or Cantatrice.	Tag End.	Roman Emperor.	Crown Emblem.
Evening Standard......	Brushlight.	Lucina.	My Toy; if ab., Yellow Underwing.	Thirlmere.	Fourth Hand.	Tabennite.	Toreador.
The Times......	Cavaliero.	Gallowglass.	Yellow Underwing or Thistabel.	Puisne; if ab., Sovereign Lady.	Tag End or Jock Trotter.	Roman Emperor.	Toreador.

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Surely, b. c., by Sir Berkeley—Kitty Shore (Mr. Joseph Harrison) 45
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Britomartis, b. f., by Gay Crusader—Britannia (Mr. George Blackwell) 450
Sufferance, ch. f., by Noblesse Oblige—Permissible (Colonel Sykes) 25
Knight's Service, b. f., by Chivalrous—Arrywee (Mr. O'Sullivan) 190
Expectancy, b. f., by Sir Berkeley—Hope Still (Mr. Dyke Dennis) 40
Falling Leaf, ch. f., by Sir Berkeley—Spiral Spin (Mr. Ryan) 45
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Meantime the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the members of the team for the purpose of framing a scheme of training.

It was decided to hold an Olympic trial Decathlon—100, 400, 1,500 metres; high, long, and pole jumps; three weights; discus, javelin, and 120 yards hurdles—the dates to be fixed this month.

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GREYHOUND SALE IN DUBLIN.

LUCKY FOOL REALISES 120 GUINEAS.

GOOD PRICES AT SEWELL'S.

BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

I have frequently been asked what effect greyhound racing is likely to have on coursing in Ireland during the coming season? My reply has always been, "It will not injuriously affect the sport; on the contrary, it should benefit coursing by taking from the sport a lot of inferior greyhounds. The new sport will also be a very excellent thing for breeders of greyhounds, inasmuch as it will furnish them with a market which they never had before for those dogs which prove useless on our coursing grounds.

Messrs. Goff and Co. broke new ground yesterday when they held their first greyhound sale at Sewell's, Mount street. In view of the prevailing scarcity of greyhounds in England and America, brought about by the development of greyhound racing and the multiplication of racing tracks—a scarcity which has forced at least one company on the other side to experiment with Borzois—this sale aroused considerable interest, and when the first lot was brought in there was a big muster of track men and coursers.

About one hundred and fifty lots were catalogued, and the proceedings had not been long in progress when it became obvious that it was going to be a record greyhound sale for Ireland. English buyers were strongly in evidence, and the result was that very few lots failed to change hands. In fact, it may be said that "fancy" prices was the order, for longtails fetched as much as 30 and 40 gns., which before the coming of the electrical "hare" would have been regarded as dear at as many shillings.

Most of the dogs were bought for "the other side," and for those which had "form" at Shelbourne Park to recommend them the competition was particularly brisk. Thus, for Master Collins's Lucky Fool, which won half-a-dozen races at the Ringsend track, and was also placed in six other races, Mr. Leslie, a cross-Channel buyer, had to go to 120 gns.—and he is probably a bargain at that. Anything, indeed, which looked like developing into a speed merchant sold for a good deal more than his value as a coursing dog, and that racing on the track is going to prove a remunerative business for Irish greyhound breeders was evident by the remarkable success of the sale.

Brood bitches also sold right well, which showed that there is now as keen a desire to breed greyhounds for profit as there is to breed them for coursing (there is little profit in breeding them for coursing). The lots submitted were not, however, all potential track dogs or brood bitches. There were a few likely coursing dogs sent up. One was Mons Star, a Jedderfield—Dinette puppy, for which Mr. Thomas Harte was just a little too late, and which went to Mr. McKee for 70 gns., while a good-looking litter sister to Magill (Kashmir Beauty) realised 50 gns. (Mr. O'Kennedy). The principal prices were:— Gns.

Property of Mr. J. Higgins.
Cackniss Starter, r. f. d., 1923 (Honeyman—Cissing Link) (Mr. Biss) 19
Property of Mr. Tubman.
Bruin, bd. d., 1925 (Kashmir Kernel—Lady Viceroy) (Mr. Leslie) 17
Property of Mr. Kinsella.
First Up, w. f. p. b., 1926 (Lively Tune—First Cut) (Mr. de Groot) 26
Property of Mr. Quinlan.
Quilp, f. d., 1924 (Horace Wheatley—Idleness) (Mr. T. Campbell) 19
Property of Mr. Martin.
Mischievous, bd. b., 1924 (Irish Cheer II.—Rye River) (Mr. Leslie) 16
Property of Mr. Murphy.
Ethelwulf, bk. b. p., 1926 (Speedy Melody—May Fly XVIII.) (Mr. Cartwright) 17
Property of Mr. Mackey.
D. p. (Shaw's Gift—The Beadle) (Mr. Leslie) 27
Property of Mr. Sheehan.
Cloneen-Bell, f. b., 1924 (Full Cheer—Landing Stage) (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) 13
Property of Mr. J. Walshe.
Wild Paddy, bk. d., 1925 (Cocoa Nut—Careless Lassie) (Mr. Leslie) 10
Property of Mr. Gleeson.
Queen of the Fairies, bd. b., 1924 (Ocean Boy II.—Glittering Jewel) (Mr. Mansfield) 26
Property of Mr. N. Rooney.
Grab Again, r. f. s. d., 1926 (Brave Show—Cheerful Chatter) (Mr. Leslie) 27
Property of Mr. J. Fitzpatrick.
Sunnyside Susan, bd. b., 1923 (Three Speed—Lismore) (Mr. Griffin) 38
Property of Mr. Monck.
Sporting Column, w. r. d., 1923 (Lively Tune—Flami's Beauty) (Mr. Coughlan) 22
Property of Mr. Breslin.
Captain Kettle, f. d., 1924 (Gilla Dacker—Miss Sligo) (Mr. Coughlan) 20
Property of Mr. McArdle.
Whilpin the Cat, f. d., 1922 (Kaiser II.—Damiana) (Mr. Coughlan) 20
Property of Mr. O'Harr.
Tune E., bd. d., 1925 (Lively Tune—Mill Race) (Mr. Cartwright) 22
Property of Mr. Conaty.
Lad o' the Ferns, bk. d., 1926 (M.L.—Carn Fancy) (Mr. Leslie) 29
Property of Mr. Taylor.
Town Council, f. s. d., 1926 (Beaded Dick—Misdeed II.) (Mr. Biss) 20
Town Clerk, r. s. d., 1926 (Beaded Dick—Misdeed II.) (Mr. Biss) 35
Property of Mr. Curley.
Mons Star, f. d., 1926 (Jedderfield—Dinnette) (Mr. McKee) 70
Miss Jedder, f. b., 1926 (Jedderfield—Dinnette) (Mr. McKee) 47
Property of Mr. Regan.
Jimmie's Pet, bk. s. d., 1926 (Flash—Fair Alannah) (Mr. Biss) 35
Dark Heather, bd. b., 1924 (Honeyman—Try She Will) (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) 30
Property of Mr. O'Dare.
Only One, f. r. d., 1926 (The Bedouin—Cheap Talk) (Mr. Leslie) 30
What's In, f. d., 1926 (What's Next—Lino) (Mr. Biss) 40
Property of a Gentleman.
Councillor Bill, f. r. d., 1924 (Moore's Melody II.—Ally's Demise) (Mr. Drea) 26
Property of Mr. Dunne.
Red dog sap. (Silver Harp—Tulip Time) (Mr. Leslie) 20
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Santoy, bk. d., 1925 (Nubristy—Romany Rose) (Mr. Coughlan) 25
Roman Bachelor, bd. d., 1923 (Royal Dictator Sweet Rose) (Mr. Cartwright) 20
Property of Mr. O'Brien.
Kashmir Beauty, r. b., 1925 (Kashmir Kernel—High Born II.) (Mr. O'Kennedy) 50
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Gangenella, f. d., 1922 (Fra Diavolo—Hand Rail II.) (Mr. Coughlan) 15
Property of Mr. C. Smith.
Special Date, f. d., 1926 (Victory Yet—Select Company) (Mr. Biss) 20
Property of Mr. Brown.
Bints Hollow, bd. w. d. (Cheerful Comrade—Verona Lady) (Mr. Coughlin) 16
Property of Mr. McMahon.
Ali Aboo, bd. b., 1925 (Hyder Ali—Short Tune) (Mr. Booth) 20
Property of Mr. F. Dillon.
Glenhugh, bd. d., 1922 (Irish Steeple—Gypsy Girl) (Mr. Coughlin) 30
Property of Mr. Buckley.
Big Attack, bd. w. b., 1924 (Fierce Attack—Kitty the Hare III.) (Mr. de Groot) 30
Property of Mr. Williams.
Money Changer, bk. d., 1924 (Cheerful Speed—Over Hasty) (Mr. Parker) 27
Wilful Waste, bd. d., 1926 (Whale Bone II.—Speeding Foe) (Mr. Cartwright) 23
Property of Mr. M. Lynch.
Clonalish, r. d., 1923 (Lively Tune—Lann Leri) (Mr. Campbell) 26
Property of Mr. M. O'Neill.
Salidin, bd. d., 1923 (Victorious Crawler—Malicious) (Mr. Cartwright) 26
Property of Mr. Kehoe.
Bd. d. p. (Irish Delight—Queen of Ossory) (Mr. Leslie) 15
W. bd. b. p. (Irish Delight—Queen of Ossory) (Mr. Leslie) 16
Property of Mr. Madden.
Touch Me Not, w. f. b. (The Toucher—Gipsy Girl) (Mr. Leslie) 15
Property of Mr. Rennicks.
Old Defender, f. d., 1926 (Old Balreask—Swift Cottage) (Mr. Morgan) 20
Property of Mr. McDermott.
Our Jim, bd. d., 1925 (Victorious Shawn—Mourne Maid) (Mr. Leslie) 26
Our Harry, bd. d., 1925 (Victorious Shawn—Mourne Maid) (Mr. Biss) 31
Gay Victory, bd. w. d. (Victory Again—Over Happy) (Mr. Coughlin) 17
Try Light, bd. b., 1926 (Bar Attraction—Take Three) (Mr. Booth) 26
Concess Prince, bd. d., 1926 (Film Star—Sion Princess) (Mr. Coughlin) 25
Cladyhill Boy, br. d., 1926 (Film Star—Sion Princess) (Mr. Cartwright) 27
Sion Princess, r. f. b., 1924 (Wild Day—Over Happy) (Mr. Booth) 24
Our Bill, f. r. d., 1926 (Stormont—Brave Mab) (Mr. Coughlin) 26
F. d. (Marching Home—Full Dress) (Miss Biss) 20
Dora's Peril, bd. b., 1924 (Tip Top VIII.—Mollie's Peril) (Mr. Leslie) 25
Property of Mr. Webb.
Watch on Rhine, bk. b., 1923 (Kaiser II.—German Maid) (Mr. Montfort) 17
Miss Magill, bd. b., 1926 (Kashmir Kernel—She Tells) (Mr. Leslie) 17
Property of Mr. Ryan.
Garton, f. b., 1924 (Gift o' the Gab—Kitty Black) (Mr. Barry) 21
Property of Mr. Michael Lonergan.
Level Weight, w. d., 1924 (Old Ale—Magic Lady) (Mr. Cartwright) 24
Property of Mr. McCarthy.
Wild Norah, bd. b., 1923 (Golden Shot—Tidal Wave II.) (Mr. Crean) 34
Property of Mr. M. Collins.
Lucky Fool, bd. d., 1925 (What's Next—Gipsy Girl VI.) (Mr. Leslie) 120
Property of Mr. O'Connor.
Captain Dick, bk. d., 1925 (Slow Down—Doreen Lass) (Mr. Biss) 29
Property of Mr. Crean.
Oblivion, f. d., 1924 (Sans Souci—Kilmoyley Lady) (Mr. Biss) 35
Property of Mr. Rogers.
Furry Glen, w. b. d., 1925 (Glorious Event—Selfish Beauty) (Mr. de Groot) 34
Mickey Speedy, bk. d., 1926 (Cheerful Speed—Pine Leaf) (Mr. Coughlan) 40
Property of Mrs. Galway Greer and Miss A. Malone.
Andhi, bd. b., 1925 (Three Speed—Dust) (Mr. Barry) 48
Property of Mr. Smith.
Darmacura, f. w. d., 1925 (Cheerful Speed—Sour Grapes) (Mr. de Groot) 30
Property of Mr. Dignan.
Prince Mick, bd. w. d., 1924 (Carramore—Grallagh Grill) (Mr. de Groot) 28
Chancey Jack, bd. d., 1925 (Gambling Johnnie—Ardlaghcenmore) (Mr. Coughlan) 30
Property of Mr. Grant.
Bearna Baoghal, bk. b., 1923 (Luxury—Boyne Lassie) (Mr. Wilkinson) 27
Property of Mrs. Collins.
I Like You, f. b., 1925 (What's That—Maureen Bawn) (Mr. J. D. Wilkinson) 34
Property of Mr. Thomas Coughlan.
Drog, bd. w. d., 1923 (Lively Tune—Sequence) (Mr. Coughlan) 19
Property of Mr. T. Hughes.
Blackbird (Honeyman—Bushey Belle) (Mr. Biss) 37
Property of Mr. P. Flaherty.
Polished Rogue, w. bd. b., 1926 (Sans Souci—First Bud) (Mr. Cartwright) 25
Property of Mr. Byrne.
Singlestick, bk. d., 1926 (Harbour Light II.—Sweet Mona) (Mr. Leslie) 31
Prudent Lad, bd. d., 1926 (What's Next—Ma Honey III.) (Mr. Bliss) 22

GREYHOUND RACING.

A WIN FOR LIAM'S CHOICE.

The racing at Shelbourne Park last night was well up to the usual standard, and a large attendance witnessed the sport, which throughout proved highly interesting.

Liam's Choice and Burnem's Girl both had easy victories in their semi-final rounds of the Stanley Johnston Cup, while Kyle Boy and White Fox scored readily in their respective rounds of the M'Callen Cup.

The Tanker put up a stylish display by winning the Shelbourne Hurdle, while Bawn Boy won the Celtic Hurdle after a re-run. Details:—

STANLEY JOHNSTON CUP—For 24 bitches (maidens). Winner, £32 and cup; second, £15; third, £8; three, £5 each; six, £3 each.

FIRST SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. W. Broe's bd. LIAM'S CHOICE (Faine-an-Lar—Blue Lady II.) 1
Mr. J. Hughes's bd. HIGH FORCE 2
Mr. M. M'Elligott's MEMORIES OF HOME 3
Also ran—Blue Steeple, Little Vera, Flying Lucy.
Betting—2 to 1 on LIAM'S CHOICE, 4 to 1 agst. Blue Steeple, 6 to 1 High Force, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by two lengths; one length. Time—29 secs.

SECOND SEMI-FINAL.
Mr. W. Dowdall's w. f. BURNEM'S GIRL (Burnem—The Small Firm) 1
Mr. P. Martin's bd. w. LADY RATHALLEN 2
Mr. G. B. Verrechia's w. bd. HYLAND STYLE 3
Also ran—Night Walker, Half A Moment, Haunted Valley.
Betting—2 to 1 on BURNEM'S GIRL, 4 to 1 agst. Hyland Style, 10 to 1 Lady Rathallen or any other.
Won by one length; half a length. Time—29 secs.

McCALLEN CUP—For 24 dogs (maidens). Winner, £25 and cup; second, £15; third, £10; three dogs, £6; six dogs, £4 each.

FIRST SEMI-FINAL.
Mrs. O'Connor's f. KYLE BOY (Doherty—Brittan's Stream) 1
Mr. P. Martin's bd. LONGTAIL 2
Mr. M. Loughman's bd. THE FACTOR 3
Also ran—Glasshouse Boy, Amberwave, Rattleaway.
Betting—6 to 4 agst. KYLE BOY, 3 to 1 Longtail, 4 to 1 Glasshouse Boy, 6 to 1 Amberwave, 8 to 1 Rattleaway, 10 to 1 The Factor.
Won by one length; one and a half lengths. Time—28 4-5 secs.

SECOND SEMI-FINAL.
Miss N. Walshe's bk. WHITE FOX (Cheerful Charger—Fairlight) 1
Miss A. Walshe's bd. ARDAGH BOY 2
Mr. D. Creane's bk. BALLYHEIGUE BOY 3
Also ran—Champaigne Charlie, Fair Traveller.
Betting—Evens Champaigne Charlie, 6 to 4 agst. WHITE FOX, 6 to 1 Ardagh Boy, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by three lengths; two lengths. Time—28 4-5 secs.

CELTIC HURDLE—Winner, £10; second, £5.
Mr. J. Cunningham's r. f. d. BAWN BOY (Oldcastle's Hope—Bawn Lass III.) 1
Mr. N. McQuaide's bd. d. VIRGINIAN CREEPER 2
Mr. M. R. Carney's bd. w. d. ANANIAS 3
Also ran—Bellville Hill, Stoney Broke.
Betting—Evens Virginian Creeper, 3 to 1 Stoney Broke, 4 to 1 each Ananias and BAWN BOY, 6 to 1 Bellville.
Won by three lengths; same. Time—29 4-5 secs.

SHELBOURNE HURDLE—Winner, £10; second, £5.
Miss M. McHenry's bk. d. THE TANKER (Stream Drifter—Border Girl) 1
Master F. O'Donoghue's bd. d. SPLONK 2
Mr. J. Brennan's w. bd. d. SPRINGHILL LIGHT 3
Also ran—Mark Anthony.
Betting—5 to 4 on Springhill Light, 3 to 1 agst. THE TANKER, 4 to 1 Splonk, 10 to 1 Mark Anthony.
Won by one length; five lengths.

8.0—THE "SANDYMOUNT" STAKE. Winner, £10; second, £3. About 510 yards.
Miss L. Kavanagh's (Dublin) HALF A CHANCE.
Mrs. M. O'Donoghue's (Dublin) MOUNTAIN MAN.
Mr. T. Quane's (Kerry) SHOOTING FORTH.
Mr. P. Lambe's (Kildare) KNOCKNAMONA.
Mr. C. Thomas's (Dublin) O'NEILL'S CASTLE.
Mr. M. Flanagan's (Dublin) ROCKING STONE.
To fill vacancy, if any:—
Miss Noreen Carney's (Mayo) BIRTHDAY PRESENT.

8.20—THE "FAREWELL" PLATE. Winner £10, second £5. About 510 yards.
Master Michael Collins's (Dublin) LUCKY FOOL.
Mr. H. Murray's (Dublin) DARCOSI.
Mr. C. O'Rourke's (Cavan) BELVEDERE BOY.
Mr. H. P. McEntagart's (Dublin) HERMITAGE BUFFER.
Miss Maureen Collins's (Dublin) LUCKY LINDBERGH.
Mr. T. Smyth's (Meath) OVER THE DEE.

8.40—THE "SHELBOURNE" HURDLE. Winner, £10; second, £3. About 510 yards.
Mr. G. Gamley's (Cavan) BELLVILLE HILL.
Miss Eileen McPartland's (Manchester) BLACKBIRD.
Mr. M. A. Carney's (Mayo) ANANAIS.
Mr. J. Cunningham's (Meath) BAWN BOY.

9.0—FINAL OF McCALLEN CUP.
Miss N. Walshe's WHITE FOX.
Miss A. Walshe's ARDAGH BOY.
Mr. D. Creane's BALLYHEIGUE BOY.
Mrs. O'Connor's KYLE BOY.
Mr. P. Martin's LONGTAIL.
Mr. M. Loughman's THE FACTOR.

9.20—THE "CELTIC" HURDLE. Winner, £10; second, £3. About 510 yards.
Miss K. O'Sullivan's (Meath) CONCLUSION.
Miss M. O'Donoghue's (Dublin) FREE TIMES.
Miss A. Curtiss's (Meath) ROYAL TYRANT.
Miss F. Malone's (Dublin) SCIENTIFIC PLAY.

9.40—FINAL OF STANLEY JOHNSON CUP.
Mr. W. Broe's LIAM'S CHOICE.
Mr. J. Hughes's HIGH FORCE.
Mr. M. McElligott's MEMORY'S OF HOME.
Mr. W. Dowdall's BURNEM'S GIRL.
Mr. P. Martin's LADY RATHALLEN.
Mr. G. B. Verrechia's HYLAND STYLE.

THE FORM.

FIRST RACE.

1 1 0—Half a Chance, unplaced to Imperial Minnie (28 secs.), Southern Melody, and Mountain Man, Sept. 23 (F.); scored (28 2-5 secs.) from Old Bill and Champagne Charlie, Sept. 19 (F.). 3 2 3—Mountain Man, see Half a Chance; beaten by Imperial Minnie (28 1-5 secs.), Sept. 19 (F.). 2 1 0—Shooting Forth, unplaced to Gips Next (28 4-5 secs.), Sept. 23 (F.); scored (28 4-5 secs.) from Max Power and Cassino, Sept. 17 (F.). 0 0 0—Knocknamona, unplaced to Kyle Boy (29 secs.), Sept. 28 (F.). 3 2 3—O'Neill's Castle, beaten by Beaded Biddy (28 1-5 secs.), and Wise Joe, Sept. 23 (F.); beaten by Palm Beach (28 4-5 secs.), Sept. 21 (F.). 3 2—Birthday Present, see Hermitage Buffer unplaced to Bluette (28 3-5 secs.), Sept. 3 (F.).

SECOND RACE.

3 1 3—Lucky Fool, beaten by Southern Melody (27 4-5 secs.) and Cottage Green, Sept. 19 (F.); scored (28 3-5 secs.) from Shooting Forth, Sept. 10 (F.). 3 2 1—Larcosi, scored (29 4-5 secs.), from Far Fetched and O'Neill's Castle, Sept. 20 (F.); beaten by Hermitage Buffer (29 secs.), Sept. 7 (F.). 3 0 0—Belvedere Boy, unplaced to The Goshawk (27 4-5 secs.), Aug. 4 (F.). 1 3 1—Hermitage Buffer scored (28 4-5 secs.), from Birthday Present and Newpark, Sept. 20 (F.); beaten by Gips Next (28 1-5 secs.), and Lively Rajah, Sept. 17 (F.). 0 0 0—Lucky Lindbergh, unplaced to Golden Furze (28 4-5 secs.), Sept. 20 (F.); unplaced to Old Bill (29 secs.), Sept. 10 (F.). 0 1—Over the Dee, scored (29 secs.), from Arlane Boy and Grey Blue, Sept. 7 (F.).

THIRD RACE.

0—Belleville Hill, unplaced to Borrelog (32 1-5 secs.), Sept. 14 (H.). 3 0 0—Blackbird, unplaced to Errew Boy (30 3-5 secs.), Sept. 28 (H.); unplaced to The Tanker (30 1-5 secs.), Conclusion and Scientific Play, Sept. 17 (H.). Bawnboy and Ananias has yet to run here.

FIFTH RACE.

3 2 0—Conclusion, unplaced to Noble Grecian (28 1-5 secs.), Sept. 25 (H.); see Blackbird. 1 1 1—Free Times, scored (3? secs.) from Broomfield Lad, June 13 (?); scored (30 3-5 secs.), from Rath Dubh, June 6 (F.). 3 2 0—Royal Tyrant, unplaced to Stephen's Choice (28 4-5 secs.), Sept. 19 (H.); beaten by Splonk (29 3-5 secs.), Sept. 7 (H.). 0 2 3—Scientific Play, beaten by Stoney Broke (31 secs.), Smiling Boy, Sept. 10 (F.); beaten by Glenhugh (30 1-5 secs.), Sept. 3 (H.).

OFFICIAL PLANS.

It has been officially decided that after to-night's meeting a Supervisory Steward or Flag Steward will be dispensed with, unless for mechanical troubles. Greater care will be exercised in the schooling of dogs, and once a dog shows the slightest signs of savaging he will be warned off.

FIVE FAVOURITES AT CELTIC PARK.

Five favourites were successful at Celtic Park last evening, when there was a splendid attendance. There were seven races on the card. A record crowd is expected on Monday for the final meeting, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to charity. Details:—

POPULAR STAKES—550 Yards.
Mr. J. Martin's STAR OF DERVOCK (5/2) 1
Mr. F. Keyland's KUBELIK (2/1) 2
Mr. J. B. Knox's MATTERS NOTHING (6/1) 3
Also ran—Rosaleen, Red Socks, and Yvonne's Gift.
Won by one length; two lengths. Time—32 2-5 secs.

CELTIC HURDLE.
Mr. P. McAlinden's JIM'S JUMPER (6/4 on) 1
Mr. J. J. Scallon's GO JOKER (5/1) 2
Mr. P. Hanrahan's BILL BARRETT (9/2) 3
Also ran—Captain Cuttle, Luck Again, and B Man.
Won by a short head; a length. Time—37 3-5 secs.

SHELBOURNE STAKES.
Mr. E. Magee's VICTORIOUS COMPANY (evens) 1
Mr. J. Russell's RADICAL RHYMES (7/1) 2
Mr. J. Connolly's FORCE BLAST (3/1) 3
Also ran—Overland Mail, Georgia, and Maple Flake.
Won by three lengths; two lengths. Time—35 3-5 secs.

BELLVUE STAKES.
Mr. A. Seron's IMPERIAL COLLEEN (2/1 on) 1
Mr. J. Armstrong's AN STRUD (5/1) 2
Mr. J. Eastwood's RAIZE'S PET (7/1) 3
Also ran—Holland's Gin.
Won by a length; same. Time—36 4-5 secs.

ULSTER STAKES.
Mr. P. Tighe's ENCHANTED FAIRY (11/8) 1
Mr. A. McShane's LADY LISSANORE (5/2) 2
Mr. P. Magee's RUSTIC STEEPLE (6/1) 3
Also ran—Scene Duall and Aby Roy.
Won by three lengths; one length. Time—36 secs.

BELFAST STAKES.
Mr. W. Gartland's THE CODGER (2/1) 1
Mr. L. J. Nash's BASHFUL BINGO (8/1) 2
Mr. J. Farrington's JIMBO (5/4) 3
Also ran—Devoy, Longstand, and Scorn.
Won by four lengths; half a length. Time—35 4-5 secs.

METROPOLITAN HURDLE.
Miss K. McHenry's DANNY DERRY (6/4) 1
Mr. T. T. McCracken's COMPANY LIMITED (3/1) 2
Mr. M. McAlinden's RISKED IT (7/2) 3
Also ran—John Robinson, Beaded Dress, and Money To Lend.
Won by half a length; one length. Time—40 4-5 secs.

STEEPLECHASING NEXT.

Greyhound steeplechases are a possibility next year. Up till now hurdles are the only obstacles the dogs have been asked to take in their pursuit of the electric "hare," but remarkable success attended two experimental steeplechases at the White City yesterday. On a 525 yards course the obstacles were two plain fences, one three feet high, and an open ditch with eight feet of water. The dogs took all the obstacles in grand style, the water jump being cleared with an ease that showed that it would have to be widened to make it a real test.

THE BILL EKIN-BLACK FOX MATCH.

Captain Stanley has announced his intention not to accept the G.R.A.'s offer to match his dog, Bill Ekin, against Black Fox. The reasons for his decision are that Bill Ekin is running in a match against Brown Eagle at the White City to-day, and is also engaged in the De Trafford Hurdle Sweepstakes, and Captain Stanley does not desire him to be overworked.

RUGBY.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

The Rugby football season may now be said to be in full swing, and from the results of the five Senior matches listed for this afternoon some idea of the comparative strength of the sides may be gleaned. Lansdowne, with a win already to their credit, visit the College Park to try conclusions with Dublin University, whose team is an experimental one, and may undergo changes during the next few weeks before the team is finally decided upon. Wanderers, also winners of their opening match, have a stiff task in hand, at Lansdowne road, against Blackrock College, who on last Saturday defeated Bective Rangers. Monkstown open their season with a match against Bective Rangers at Sydney Parade, and Old Wesley oppose Palmerston at Donnybrook. The opening match of University College, Dublin, is against Clontarf at Castle avenue.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Dublin University—S. T. A. Radcliffe; T. R. McDowal (seven-eighth); J. C. Clery, C. E. G. Nunns, J. C. B. Hewat; J. J. Grealy, M. E. Cussen; R. St. J. Lyburn, A. McM. Buchanan, R. B. Pike, H. L. Dixon, J. G. McGuire, J. T. Paul, V. J. Pike, H. V. Tighe.

Dublin University 2nd—Chance; O'Donnell, McNeilly, Rose, Hamill; Connolly, Gillanders; Knott, Wells, Pratt, Graham, Michael, Atkinson, Lyburn, Milmo.

Lansdowne 1st—W. E. Crawford; E. J. Lightfoot, G. P. S. Hogan, M. Crowe, J. E. Arigho; T. A. O'Reilly, E. O'D. Davy; J. C. Bermingham, W. G. Brown, B. F. Haurahan, J. D. McClelland, J. E. McEnery, T. O. Pike, W. W. Rossiter, J. S. Synge.

Lansdowne 2nd—M. P. Ruddle; T. V. Harris, L. J. Heaney, V. J. Fielding, P. McPhillips; D. Hogan, J. T. Moran; M. E. Bardon, M. Bell, F. Conroy, J. Callen, E. A. Heard, W. Keogh, J. Robertson, J. D. Rooney.

Wanderers—D. Kennedy (captain); W. H. Peard, H. S. Beere, J. T. Keegan, T. Murphy; P. F. Murray, H. N. Peyton; E. Bam, J. Carroll, J. D. Clinch, A. J. Fisher, P. Freer, L. Keatinge, H. N. Potterton, J. K. Reilly.

Wanderers 2nd—J. H. Morton; J. H. Doran, J. W. B. Beresford, W. H. Keir, W. E. Crampton; Millar, H. C. Rose; E. W. Benn, R. C. Ellis, H. J. Hilton, D. Keatinge (captain), D. Morrogh, A. W. Nowlan, T. R. Patterson, D. T. Young.

Blackrock College—E. B. Willis; L. D. Stanley, G. Devenish, M. Quinn, B. R. Towers; F. Fuller, T. D. McMullan; S. Keogh, M. Vaughan, J. Keaney, J. Gleeson, M. Gleeson, E. Maguire, T. Quinlivan, P. O'Reilly.

Blackrock College 2nd—V. McGowan; J. Loan, J. Long, M. Smith, F. McCarthy; P. Kenny, W. Patton; P. Byrne, M. Mullens, H. Costello, L. Hill, J. Smith, L. Hynes, P. McFeeley, D. Scully.

Bective Rangers—M. A. Sheehan; J. Robinson, S. V. Ballagh, J. J. Fitzsimons, H. G. Thompson; J. Arigho, T. Dowd; J. L. Farrell, J. McMurrough, J. J. Fitzsimons, M. Deering, C. Carroll, T. Little, J. J. Sheehan and G. C. Higginbotham.

Bective Rangers 2nd—M. Cleary; P. Bateman, J. J. White, H. Lightfoot, C. O'Farrell; D. Moran, C. G. Kennedy; M. McInerney, P. J. Keane, K. Power, W. Walker, P. Powell, T. H. Booth, J. J. Hogan and M. McAllister.

Palmerston—V. E. Kirwan (capt.); J. E. Bates, T. H. D. Wall, C. N. Kirwan, K. C. Cahill; D. D. Hussey, V. Hendrick; J. R. Y. Wilson, C. M. Hill, J. Kean, J. C. Cathcart, W. A. Ruddell, T. A. Thompson, J. Andrews, F. R. Willis.

Palmerston 2nd—E. Thompson; F. H. Lane, H. W. Love, W. Jewell, P. Hussey; A. R. Russell, S. Henchie (capt.); T. F. Dallaghan, B. H. Doyle, J. Hempenstall, H. Boyce, R. Boyce, J. C. Burrows, G. T. Gleave, A. E. Thompson.

Clontarf—G. S. Nowlan; A. D. A. Browne, E. N. Seymour, G. H. Tyndall, T. J. G. Lawler; W. H. A. Wallens, J. E. Allen; D. Butler, J. P. Cavanagh, K. Highton, O. L. Mahony, P. H. Mooney, T. D. Murphy, E. A. Roche, O'S. Roche.

Clontarf 2nd—W. E. Morgan; E. G. Buggy, T. Lyons, J. P. Murphy, R. Alexander; P. A. Healy, F. S. O'Neill; J. F. Browne, T. H. Clarke, R. Corcoran, H. J. Healy, P. J. Kavanagh, J. Love, K. McFerran, C. O'Neill.

University College—J. M. O'Sullivan; T. G. Morris, N. V. Hogan, K. Keohane, J. Buckley; P. Cremin, R. Hogan; M. Brosnan, S. Hooper, C. S. O'Flynn, W. Cremin, D. Cavanagh, J. Duff, R. McCarthy, J. Fitzgerald.

University College 2nd—B. Walsh; J. O'Dwyer, D. Morris, J. V. Glass, J. V. Carthy; R. McHugh, B. O'Rahilly; J. Conroy, J. E. Doyle, J. Kent, T. J. O'Connell, S. Kealy, E. Plunkett, J. Coleman, T. J. Carbery.

Malahide—H. M. Pembrey; D. Greer, M. Cullen, J. Worlin, M. O'Brien; R. Healy (capt.), J. Connolly; D. J. Dickie, T. J. Brangan, T. J. Johnston, J. Murphy, N. Wilson, R. Roy, J. P. Burgess, A. S. Whieldon.

Suttonian—G. Muir; J. Keddie, W. Montgomery, W. Spencer, A. Keddie; P. Lavery, M. Spencer; W. Taylor, W. Finch, G. Robinson, J. Malcolm, J. McDowell, D. Craig, S. Doyle, J. Byrne.

R. and S.P.U.—Roulette; Kearney, Cunningham, Purdon, Williams; Daran, Banks; Glynn, Calvert, Linehan (capt.), Wilkie, Finnucane, Telford, Gill, Beglane.

Mountjoy School—W. M. Smyth; D. Quinn, G. McClaine, O. Giddings, E. Parker; H. G. Halpin, A. W. D. King; T. S. J. Anderson (capt.), R. L. Stuart, W. J. Hall, R. M. Young, J. McWilliam, G. T. Keays, P. Bennell, C. H. Anderson. Subs—C. Ewing, P. McLaren, R. Hughes.

Y.M.C.A.—V. J. Walker; J. K. Lang, S. Blackwell, G. A. Lowe, H. W. Whiteside; D. Archer, W. R. Prescott; J. Clifton, H. Graham, D. Harpur, C. B. Hayward, J. Martin, R. Michael, C. M. Ross, H. M. Vance. (Team to meet at Amiens street Station 2.15 p.m.)

Old Wesley—A. C. McGowan; H. F. Kamp (capt.), W. W. Smith, L. L. Richardson, A. W. Love; G. J. Young, J. Willoughby; J. D. Seymour, H. S. Rattle, D. C. Fitzpatrick, E. W. Massey, H. D. Prim, D. Towers, M. J. Maher, W. J. Greenaway.

Old Wesley 2nd—P. J. Power; E. May, V. K. Bailey, E. O. Holland, L. Dillon; H. McIntosh, J. Ballagh; J. Beggs, E. Kay, W. S. Wolfe, R. Johnston, C. Dowling, A. W. Rudd, A. W. Lang, R. W. Kingston.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Dublin University v. Lansdowne. College Park, 3.15. Referee—Mr. T. Bell.
Wanderers v. Blackrock College. Lansdowne road, 3.15. Referee—Mr. N. M. Purcell.
Monkstown v. Bective Rangers. Sydney parade, 3.15. Referee—Mr. J. H. Miles.
Old Wesley v. Palmerston. Donnybrook, 3.15. Referee—Mr. A. H. Jeffares, junior.
Clontarf v. University College. Castle avenue, 3.15. Referee—Mr. W. A. Daish.
R. and S.P.U. v. Wanderers 2nd (J.L.). Park avenue.
Lansdowne 2nd v. Dublin University (J.L.). Lansdowne road.
Civil Service v. Monkstown 2nd (J.L.). Cabra.
Palmerston 2nd v. Old Wesley 2nd (J.L.). Clonskeagh.
Bective Rangers 2nd v. Kingswood (J.L.). Donnybrook.
University College 2nd v. Clontarf 2nd (J.L.). Terenure.
Blackrock College 2nd v. Imperial Tobacco Co. (J.L.). Notley avenue.
Malahide v. Balbriggan. Malahide, 4.30.
R. and S.P. Union 2nd v. Wanderers 3rd (M.L.). Clonskeagh.
Lansdowne 3rd v. Dublin University 3rd (M.L.). Lansdowne road.
Monkstown 3rd v. Civil Service 3rd (M.L.). Sandymount road.
Old Wesley 3rd v. Palmerston 3rd (M.L.). Milltown.
C.Y.M.S. v. Bective Rangers 3rd (M.L.). Terenure.
Clontarf 3rd v. Dublin University 3rd (M.L.). Castle avenue.
Imperial Tobacco Co. 2nd v. Blackrock College 3rd (M.L.). Crumlin.
Malahide 2nd v. Y.M.C.A. (M.L.). Malahide.
Clontarf 3rd A v. Wanderers 3rd A. Castle avenue.
Masonic School v. Clontarf 3rd A. Clonskeagh.
Suttonians v. Temple Hill. Sutton, 3.45.
Belvedere College (S.C.T.) v. Mountjoy School (S.C.T.). Jones's road.
Mountjoy School 3rd v. King's Hospital 2nd.
Mountjoy School (J.C.T.) v. Wesley College (J.C.T.).

LEINSTER BRANCH I.R.F.U., SCHOOLS SECTION.

The annual general meeting of the schools will be held on Tuesday, 4th October, at 7.15 p.m., in Jury's Hotel, College Green. One representative from each school is requested to attend.

CLUB NOTICES.

MULLINGAR.—The annual general meeting was held in the Central Hotel, Mullingar. Officers elected:—President—B. Hannin. Vice-Presidents—P. W. Shaw, T.D.; Dr. P. J. Keelan, T. J. Dowdall, LL.D.; R. L. R. Robinson, F. A. Doyne, L. Hutchinson, G. P. Crooks, C. V. Porter. Captain—L. C. Brophy. Vice-Captain—S. K. Brabazon. Hon. Secretary—M. A. O'Hara. Hon. Treasurer—J. M. Wineworth. Committee (in addition to officers)—J. E. Wallace and J. R. Downes.

NORTH KILDARE.—Practice at "The Maws," Maynooth, on Sunday, October 2nd, at 3 p.m. Members and intending members requested to attend. Meeting for election of officers 1927-28 immediately after.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL F.C.—At a meeting of the Diocesan School Rugby Football Club, held in the School, Mr. H. V. Catterson-Smith was elected Hon. Treasurer, and Ralph Jones Hon. Secretary. Palmerston F.C. have kindly arranged for the club to use their ground, and fixtures are invited from school second fifteens.

SWIMMING.

EARLSFORT HOUSE SCHOOL GALA.

The annual gala of the Earlsfort House School was held at the Iveagh Baths on Monday. Results:—

One Length (under 13)—K. Besson, 1; M. Burke, 2.
100 Yards School Championship—D. Sherriff, 1; J. B. Plews, 2.
Novices' Race—L. Ross.
One and a Half Lengths Handicap—A. Wallace, 1; G. Sheill, 2.
Old Boys' Race (100 yards handicap)—I. H. M. Mecredy, 1; A. B. Brooks, 2.
Two Lengths Handicap—M. Barrington, 1; E. Barrington, 2.
Graceful Diving (open to St. Stephen's Green School and old boys E.H.S.)—D. Sherriff (E.H.S.), 1; G. Medcalf (old boy), 2; J. de V. White (S.S.G.S.), 3.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

C. R. Read (Queen's), C. Catts (Cromer), D. Maskell (Queen's), and F. W. Donisthorpe (Frinton) qualified for the semi-final round of the Professional Lawn Tennis Championship at Queen's Club, West Kensington, yesterday. The tournament will conclude to-day, and there is a prospect of a close final between Read and Donisthorpe, who are generally regarded as the leading masters in the game. Read is the British Professional Champion, and is a strong favourite for the title. Results:—

FIRST ROUND (Concluded).

A. C. Roberts beat R. B. Waite—6-2, 7-5; K. J. Ingram beat S. G. Edwards—6-2, 6-3; J. Leavold w.o., E. J. Gillow scr.; F. W. Donisthorpe beat F. H. Poulson—6-2, 10-8.

SECOND ROUND (Concluded).

C. W. Lockyer beat H. J. Fenton—6-0, 6-0; C. R. Read beat Captain J. B. Rodgers—6-0, retired; C. Cutts beat H. Wightman—6-3, 6-4; T. B. Jones beat C. Hierons—6-4, 6-4; D. Maskell beat Roberts—6-3, 6-3; Leavold beat Ingram—6-3, 6-1; Donisthorpe beat P. Jacobs—6-2, 6-3; C. Sprey-Smith beat W. G. Seymour—6-2, 9-7.

THIRD ROUND (Concluded).

Read beat Lockyer—6-3, 6-0; Cutts beat Jones—6-2, 8-6; Maskell beat Leavold—6-3, 6-2; Donisthorpe beat Sprey-Smith—6-1, 6-0.

THE EALING TOURNAMENT.

Miss Betty Nuthall and Miss Eileen Bennett beat Miss Eddis and Miss Riley 6-1, 6-0 in the third round of the women's doubles in the Ealing tournament yesterday, and in the succeeding stage Miss Nuthall and her partner beat Mrs. Edgington and Miss Hogarth 6-3, 6-2. In the mixed doubles, third round, Miss Nuthall and H. W. Austin beat J. S. Olliff and Mrs. C. M. B. Marriott 4-6, 6-2, 6-2.

GOLF.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—To-day: October medals, foursomes, strokes.

BRAY.—Wednesday Cup: C. J. Elliott (12), 73; P. F. O'Reilly (18), 73; W. Allen (5), 74. Ladies—September medal: Miss Walsh, nett prize; Mrs. Hunt, gross prize. Monday, October 3: Messrs. Weir's prize, 18 holes, bogey.

WICKLOW.—Blackmore Cup: J. J. Fallon (14), all square; J. P. Gleeson (22), 3 down. Monthly medal: J. P. Gleeson, 69; M. J. Laffan, 70.

DUN LAOGHAIRE (KINGSTOWN).—To-day—Monthly medal (strokes).

MILLTOWN.—To-day—Captain's (Mr. E. F. Kilduff) prize, 18 holes, strokes. Frequent draws. October 8th—President's (Mr. Moore) prize, to be followed by club dinner.

CASTLE (Ladies).—Prize presented by Mrs. Blood-Smyth. Draws 10.30, 11, 1.30. Semi-open foursomes—Mrs. Graham and Miss Nester (23), 84; Miss Hutchinson and Miss Deverel (25½), 85½. Sweepstakes—Miss Pentony (9), 37; Mrs. Eustace (13½), 39½.

CARRICKMINES (Ladies).—Eclectic competition—Miss M. Creery (rec 9½), 36½; Mrs. Fitzpatrick (rec. 7), 39; Miss Kelly (rec. 3½), 39½. October 5th—Bisque competition for prize presented by Ladies' Committee, 18 holes, bogey. Post entries.

SUTTON.—To-day—Monthly cup, strokes. Ladies—Tuesday next—Monthly medal, strokes. Draws 10.15, 11 and 2.30.

LUCAN.—October 1st and 2nd—Committee's prize, 9 holes, strokes.

ELM PARK (Ladies).—Wednesday next—October medal, 18 holes, bogey. Arrange opponents.

GRANGE.—To-day—Prize presented by Mr. G. O. Kirkland, 18 holes, strokes.

CLONTARF.—To-day—St. Andrew's Cup, 18 holes, strokes. First eight to qualify. Limit 18 handicap.

MALAHIDE.—To-day—October monthly cup, post entry. Committee meeting 7.30 in the clubhouse.

HOWTH.—To-day—Club cup, 8th qualifying round, 18 holes, strokes. Draws off all trains between 1 and 4 o'clock. Competition v. professional—1st, J. W. Bourke (11), 67; 2nd, D. McAsey and E. M. Stuart, 71, tied. Best individual result v. professional—F. W. Kelly and P. Quinn, 6 up, tied. While playing on Monday last Mr. Louis Maguire holed out in one at the fourth (100 yards).

WOODBROOK.—Open four-ball—Dr. J. Beckett (Killiney) and J. F. McLoughlin (Hermitage), 6 up. Four couples tied for second place with 4 up.

NEWLANDS (Ladies).—Mrs. Gargan's prize was won by Mrs. Deegan; runner-up Mrs. Higgins. Whist drive in clubhouse to-morrow evening, 7 o'clock sharp.

LADIES' AUTUMN MEETING AT NEWCASTLE.

A foursome competition concluded the ladies' autumn meeting at the Royal County Down Club, Newcastle, yesterday. In the final Mrs. P. T. Crymble and Miss Crymble (48) beat Misses D. and S. Ferguson (28), at the 19th. Miss Magill (90) had the best gross score of the week, and Miss T. Young (78) the best nett score.

R.A.F. CHAMPIONSHIP.

Squadron Leader C. H. Hayward yesterday regained the Royal Air Force Championship at Camberley Heath. He had held it from 1922 to 1926, inclusive. Last year it was won by Flight Officer G. R. Beamish. Yesterday Hayward beat Beamish by 7 and 5 in the final, after being 6 up on the first 18 holes.

BUNDORAN GOLF CLUB, CO. DONEGAL.

Open Stroke Competition—Thursday, 6th October—for Challenge Cup presented by J. Lemoine, Ltd., Rilly-la-Montagne, Rheims. Post entries. Competitors may practise over the course, free of charge, on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 4th and 5th, respectively.—E. P. KELLY, Hon. Sec., Bundoran Golf Club. Telephone Bundoran 24.—(Advt.)

HOCKEY.

THE FINAL PRACTICES.

Leinster clubs will be occupied this afternoon with their final practices preparatory to the start of the Leagues on Saturday next week.

There will be a meeting of the Leinster Branch Council, I.H.U., on Monday next at 8 p.m. at 8 Merrion Row. Club secretaries are requested to note that to-day is the last day for receiving entries for the League, which should be sent to Mr. F. Gardner, 8 Merrion View avenue, Merrion. Clubs wishing to affiliate should communicate with Mr. W. Chiddick, 5 Claude road, Drumcondra, at once.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

Dublin University v. Railway Union. College Park, 3.15 o'clock.
Railway Union 2nd v. Dublin University 2nd, Park avenue, 3.15 o'clock.
Civil Service v. Railway Union 3rd. Cabra, 2.45 o'clock.
St. James's v. Railway Union 4th. Portmahon Lodge, 3.15 o'clock.
Y.M.C.A. v. Avoca School (A). Claremont road, 3.15 o'clock.

TEAMS FOR TO-DAY.

Railway Union—W. Leopold; K. Browner, M. O'Donoghue; J. Peatt, W. Chiddick (capt.), G. Erskine; T. Browner, C. Sully, V. Sully, H. Sully, W. Hennessy.

Railway Union 2nd—J. White; M. O'Shaughnessy, E. Shortt (capt.); J. Black, J. Cahill, J. Corscadden; H. Bollard, R. Gray, W. Rudd, T. Spearman, W. Hoey.

Avoca School "A"—A. D. Scott; W. N. Crawford (capt.), L. C. Wilson; D. J. Coulson, F. E. Girling, J. G. Franck; R. M. Kennedy, W. Fry, R. F. Browne, J. A. MacDonogh, A. S. Mouritz.

Dublin University—Another; R. R. McGarrigle, J. E. R. Keyms; H. T. Fleming, S. H. M. Webb, G. G. B. Hilliard; N. A. Kinnear, J. G. Wilson, E. G. Fitt, W. D. C. Crawley, T. G. McVeagh.

Dublin University 2nd—F. B. Moynihan; I. W. Pigott, S. Varian; R. J. Hodgins, E. P. Griffith, S. B. Weinberger; C. Hodgins, H. T. Baker, E. K. Malone (capt.), G. M. Titterington, E. R. Heatley.

LEINSTER UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION.

The opening meeting of the Leinster Hockey Umpires' Association will be held on Tuesday next, October 4, at 69 Middle Abbey street, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. Ex-players and those wishing to assist in umpiring are invited to attend. There will be a committee meeting at 7.30 the same evening.

CLUB NOTICES.

THREE ROCK ROVERS.—Practice, 3 p.m. at Foxrock for all members. Bring white and coloured shirts.

PEMBROKE WANDERERS.—All members are requested to be at Serpentine avenue at 3 p.m. to-day for final practices. Annual general meeting and election of officers for coming season will be held immediately after practices.

CORINTHIAN.—The opening practice will be held this afternoon at The Styles, Castle avenue, Clontarf, at 3 p.m., and will be followed by a general meeting. All members and intending members are requested to attend, and, if possible, bring white or coloured shirts. The ground can be reached by either Vernon avenue or Killester 'bus.

MONKSTOWN (Ladies).—General practice at Roebuck Villa, Clonskeagh, to-day, at 3 p.m., when a full attendance is requested. Ground ten minutes' walk from Clonskeagh or Donnybrook trams.

OLD COLLEGE.—The opening practice will be held this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Sydney Parade. All members and intending members are requested to attend.

NEWCOMES.—General practice to-day at Stillorgan at 3.30 p.m. Members and intending members specially requested to attend, as teams will be picked afterwards.

ANTIQUITY.—Practice to-day with coach.

NUTGROVE.—A practice match will take place at St. John's, Kimmage road, Terenure, on Saturday next, at 3 o'clock. It is imperative that all members and intending members be present in order to facilitate the selection of teams.

TRIGINTA.—General practice, Dunville avenue, 3 p.m.

MONKSTOWN.—Final practice to-day, Colours v. Whites, Royal terrace, Kingstown, 3.15 p.m.

CHESS.

BELFAST AND DUBLIN.

Our chess correspondent writes:—Activity in the Belfast clubs goes on apace, while no further wind appears to have stirred over the pool of Dublin. This can hardly be due to the defeat of the metropolitan players by their Belfast visitors, who came down last February. Certain it is, however, that one of the Northern clubs—the C.I.Y.M.A.—whose invading members contributed largely to that defeat, has launched already on its career for the new season, while none of the vanquished has made a stir.

This club, under the presidency of Mr. B. Allen, M.A., has held a most successful annual meeting, and its report pays a generous tribute to the victorious rival for the Ulster Trophy and the Williamson Shield, for which Mr. W. S. Allen, the previous holder, may be trusted to be a challenger again.

THE ARMSTRONG CUP.

There are two young bodies of students thirsting for the fray in the Armstrong competition. This year University College, Dublin, takes the place of Dublin University in the senior section of the competition, but it is difficult to say how its team will be constituted. Mr. Gerrard, a previous Leinster champion, may be relied upon, but one of its mainstays, Mr. Frank Kerlin, has joined another body—Iinil Eireann—where, at the moment, he will be with Professor W. E. Thrift, who used to lead the Dublin University team. In the Imperial House of Commons Mr. (now Sir) Horace Plunkett and Mr. J. H. Parnell headed the opposing sides.

BAN ON PRESERVED CREAM.

MINISTRY'S ACTION MAY CLOSE CREAMERIES.

AN INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING?

By a British Ministry of Health order, which comes into force on January 1, 1928, the manufacture and sale of preserved cream and butter will be prohibited.

This order has aroused great opposition among farmers and other cream producers, who maintain that the prohibition of preservatives in cream will be detrimental both to the trade and the public.

An official of the Ministry of Health told a Press representative yesterday that the order has been made in the interests of public health. "The cumulative effect of boric acid preservative in food is found to be injurious," he said. "The regulations have been made in the most reasonable light, after a full consideration of the question by experts." The order is based on the recommendations of the Departmental Committee on the use of preservatives and colouring matters in food.

INSIDIOUS POISONING.

It is stated that any effect produced from the small amounts of chemical preservatives found in food would be insidious and probably only noticeable after prolonged use of preserved food.

"That it is not impracticable to carry on a trade in unpreserved cream in towns is evident from the fact that side by side with preserved cream a considerable amount of cream is sold without preservative," stated the report of the Committee, "and that, in districts where the local authority displays activity in taking action in respect of preservatives in cream, unpreserved cream is readily obtainable. On the other hand, we have been informed that in some districts it is difficult, if not impossible, to obtain cream free from preservatives. This is an undesirable situation, particularly as cream may be an article of food specially suitable for invalids.

"We are given to understand that the demand for cream, except during the strawberry season, and at Christmas time, is fairly constant. It has also been brought to our notice that preserved cream is used by makers of ice cream and cream cakes, so that preservatives may be present in these articles without the knowledge of the purchaser."

"THE TRADE WILL BE KILLED."

Captain Cleveland Fyfe, Secretary of the National Farmers' Union, which has opposed the Order, said that the amount of preservative in cream was as small as .04 per cent., and it enabled cream to be brought from as far as Devon and Cornwall. "The trade will be killed by the order," said Captain Fyfe. "This Union has definitely expressed the view that the preservative regulations, so far as they affect butter and cream, are unnecessary in the interests of public health and likely to be prejudicial to the interests of milk producers. The Order will probably lead to a diminution in the supply of cream to the public, and almost certainly to an increase in the cost.

"The only alternative to preservatives is refrigeration. So far as I know the railway companies have made no provision for refrigerator vans for cream traffic, and even if they do, how can the small tradesman supply cold storage. The distributive trade do not believe the adjustments referred to by the Departmental Committee are possible. No preparations have been made against the time the Order will come into force because no preparations are economically possible."

WILL INCREASE COST OF LIVING.

"The Order must of necessity increase the cost of living and incidentally preclude hundreds of farmers from selling their milk," said Mr. G. F. Gosney, Secretary of the National Association of Creamery Proprietors. "In my view the Order is prejudicial to the health of the nation. As I told the House of Commons Agricultural Committee, if you let this Order go through you are potential murderers, because if you get a hot summer you are inviting cases of ptomaine poisoning. Instead of taking good preserved foods which are safe, people will take unpreserved foods which may have gone off slightly."

The Scottish Creameries, in a letter to Sir John Gilmour, Secretary of State for Scotland, state that if the Order is enforced some creameries will cease to exist. They suggest that as an alternative to the prohibition of preservative the amount should be reduced, or that preservatives should be permitted during the warm months of the year.

COSTING SYSTEM FOR BUSINESS MEN.

WOULD BE OF ASSISTANCE TO THE COUNTRY.

Discussing the New Companies Bill at the Incorporated Accountants' Conference at Manchester yesterday, Mr. Cassleton Elliott, of London, said that many though it might go somewhat further to strengthen the hand of the auditor. The argument that it was prejudicial to the company and helpful to competitors to give too much information in the balance sheets could be pressed too far.

Mr. Rix, of Manchester, thought that the adoption of a proper costing system by business men would be of material assistance to the country in a difficult period.

Mr. Pugh, of Newport, suggested that accountants were specially qualified to bring about a reconciliation between Capital and Labour.

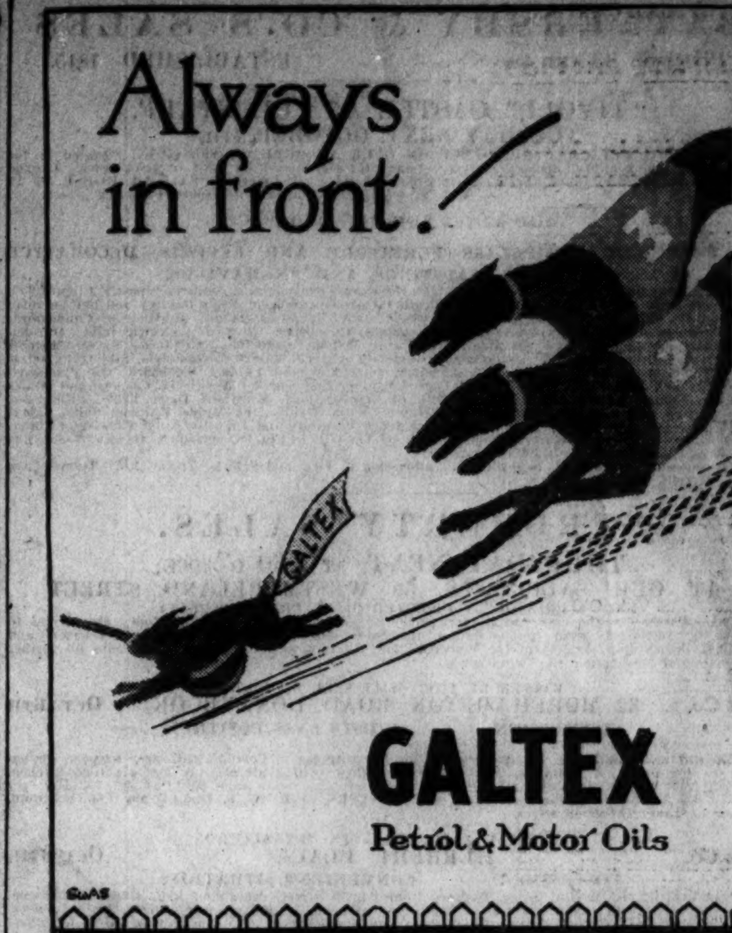
Lord Hewart, Lord Chief Justice, speaking later at the Society's dinner, spoke of the need for a register of accountants. It seemed a pity, he remarked, that the proud name of accountant should be so much at the mercy of the undeserving.

Lord Hewart said that he was sure that our judicial Bench enjoyed, as it deserved, the confidence of the public. He could not imagine that, with its eyes open, the public was going to substitute for the responsible judgment of known and identified judges, sitting in open court, the edicts or orders of anonymous and mysterious young gentlemen, however ingenious, who were hidden somewhere in Government offices, and speaking in the name of this or that department.

"CAT" BURGLARIES BY A BOY.

George Highton, a sixteen-year-old boy, who lived with his widowed mother at Wigan, and worked in a cotton mill at Bolton, at Wigan Quarter Sessions yesterday was committed to a Borstal institution for three years, following a series of "cat" burglaries in Wigan. It was stated that he practised climbing pipes with a gang of other boys.

"All inside collapsible gates should be made to lock automatically before a lift could be started," was the opinion added yesterday by the jury to their verdict of accidental death in connection with the London lift accident.



LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

In the Matter of GEORGINA EDGE, late of 16 Clyde road, in the City of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Victoria, cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, who died on the 2nd day of May, 1927, by her Will, dated the 2nd day of July, 1925, gave and bequeathed the following charitable legacies, that is to say:—

To the Royal City of Dublin Hospital, Upper Baggot street, the sum of two hundred pounds; to the Molyneux Asylum for the Female Blind of Ireland, Leeson Park, the sum of two hundred pounds; to the Select Vestry of the Parish of Christ Church, Leeson Park, in aid of the Parochial School Fund under their control, the sum of two hundred pounds.

Notice is hereby given that Probate of the said Will was, on the 19th day of September, 1927, granted to the Reverend Canon William Monk Gibbon, of Taney Glebe, Dundrum, Co. Dublin, Clerk in Holy Orders, and Mary Stubbs, of The Croft, Yatley, Hants, widow, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann (Probate).

Dated this 30th day of September, 1927.

THOMAS CROZIER and SON, 14 Ely place, Dublin, Solicitors for the Executors.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and all whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of FLORENCE COUNTESS MOUNTCASHELL, late of The Cottage, Kilworth, in the County of Cork, Widow, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons having claims against the estate or assets of the said Florence Countess Mountcashell, Deceased, who died on the 30th January, 1927, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Attorney of the sole Executor on or before the 8th October, 1927, after which date the said Attorney will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated the 8th day of September, 1927.

CATHCART and HEMPHILL, Solicitors for the said Attorney, 11 Ely place, Dublin.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria Australia made in the action 1927 No. 704 in which The Equity Trustees Executors and Agency Company Limited is Plaintiff and Elizabeth Glass Defendant, the persons claiming to be next-of-kin to John McDonough late of Lethbridge street, Moonee Ponds, Victoria Traveller (son of Paul McDonough or Donohoe and Jane McDonough née Palmer) who died on the 27th day of January 1925 are by their Solicitors or otherwise on or before the 14th day of January 1928 to come in and prove their claims at or send in their claims supported in full by affidavit to the Office of the Chief Clerk, Law Courts, Melbourne, Victoria or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. The 2nd day of February 1928 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said office is appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated the 11th day of August, 1927.

(Signed) M. M. PHILLIPS, Chief Clerk.

Equity No. 1364
COUNTY OF LIMERICK.
SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCUIT.
BY THE CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE.

MICHAEL A. CORRIGAN, Chief State Solicitor, Plaintiff;
And
JAMES A. DOYLE, Solicitor, Defendant.

Pursuant to a Decree of the Circuit Court Judge of the County of Limerick, made in the above-named suit, on the 10th day of November, 1926, and in the matter of the estate of Bridget O'Gorman, of 87 Henry street, in the City of Limerick, Spinster, Deceased, all persons claiming to be Next-of-Kin of the said Bridget O'Gorman, Deceased, who died on or about the 27th day of January, 1926, are, on or before the 17th day of October, 1927, to file evidence of such claims as Next-of-Kin, according to the Statute for the Distribution of Intestates' Estates, of said Bridget O'Gorman, Deceased, or persons claiming to be the personal representatives of such of the said Next-of-Kin as are now deceased, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of said Decree.

All Next-of-Kin must produce evidence of their claim before the Circuit Court Registrar, of the County of Limerick, at the Courthouse, Limerick, on the said 17th day of October, 1927, being the time appointed for the adjudication of the claims.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1927.

H. O'B. MORAN, Circuit Court Registrar for the County of Limerick.
JOHN I. POWER, Kilmallock, Co. Limerick, Solicitor for Plaintiff.
JAMES A. DOYLE, Solicitor for Defendant, 56 O'Connell street, Limerick.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
DISTRICT COURT AREA OF COUNTY OF DUBLIN.
DISTRICT NO. 12.

SIRS,—Take notice that I, Teresa F. Lydon, of Tallaght, in the County of Dublin, do intend to apply at the next Annual Licensing District Court to be holden in and for the County of Dublin at Kilmainham, on Monday, the 24th October, 1927, for a Transfer of the seven-day Licence to sell Beer, Cider and Spirituous Liquors by Retail at and in the house known as the "Covert," situate at Tallaght, in the Parish of Rathfarnham, Barony of Upper Cross, and County of Dublin.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1927.

TERESA F. LYDON.

To Kenneth S. Reddin, Esq., District Justice assigned to said District.
To the Superintendent of the Garda Siochana, Dundrum.
The Clerk of the District Court for said Court Area at Kilmainham.

KEATING and KEATING, Solicitors, 130 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

MICHAEL J. MORAN, late of Talbot street, and Baymount, Clontarf, Deceased.

All persons claiming to be creditors of the above-named Deceased are requested forthwith to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claim to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executrix.

Dated the 30th day of September, 1927.

PETER M. SEALES, 11 College Green, Dublin.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of FARRELL McGOOHAN, late of Aughoo, East, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Widower, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or to have any claims or demands against the estate and effects of the said Farrell McGoohan, who died on the 2nd September, 1927, are hereby required to furnish such claims (in writing) on or before the 28th October next to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate was granted on the 22nd day of September, 1927, at the Principal Registry Dublin.

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 28th day of October next the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said Deceased, having regard only to such claims or demands of which Notice has been given as required.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1927.

MALCOMSON and LAW, Solicitors, 60 Dawson street, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS.

FARRELL McGOOHAN, late of Aughoo, East, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Widower, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, in his Will dated the 5th day of August, 1927, after making various bequests, bequeathed the sum of Fifty Pounds for Masses, to be said in accordance with his Executors' instructions.

The said Testator died on the 2nd day of September, 1927, without having altered or revoked said Will, and Probate thereof was granted to Murtagh McGoohan, of Aughoo, East, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, Farmer, and James Tiernan, of 9 Usher's Island, Dublin, Retired D.M.P. Sergeant, the two Executors therein named, forth of the Principal Probate Registry, Saorstat Eireann, on the 22nd day of September, 1927.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1927.

MALCOMSON and LAW, Solicitors, 60 Dawson street, Dublin.

SHIPPING.

WHITE STAR LINE.

LARGEST STEAMERS FROM IRELAND TO CANADA & U.S.A.

FACILITIES PROVIDED ON BOARD FOR CELEBRATION OF HOLY MASS.

COBH (QUEENSTOWN) TO NEW YORK.
From Liverpool day previous.
Baltic ....Sun., Oct. 2 — Baltic ....Sun., Oct. 30
Adriatic ..Sun., Oct. 16 — Cedric ....Sun., Nov. 6
Celtic ....Sun., Oct. 23 — Laurentic ..Sun., Nov. 13

COBH (QUEENSTOWN) TO BOSTON.
Celtic ....Sun., Oct. 23 — Celtic ....Sun., Nov. 20
Cedric ....Sun., Nov. 6 — Cedric ....Sun., Dec. 4

COBH (QUEENSTOWN) TO CANADA.
Albertic ...Sat., Oct. 8 — Megantic ..Sat., Oct. 22
Albertic ....Sat., Nov. 5

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THURSDAY NEXT, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK, AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

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BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION,
B. & Co. 32 MOREHAMPTON ROAD, DONNYBROOK. OCT. 6TH
POSSESSION. FIRST-CLASS POSITION.

Modern, well-built House, best position on this favourite road. Contains hall, drawingroom, dining-room (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, maid's room, breakfast room, bathroom, h. and c.; tiled kitchen, scullery; front garden and long rear garden. Held for 150 years from 1881, at £5 7s. 10d. per annum. P.L.V., £45. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or JOHN T. DOYLE and CO., Solicitors, 16 and 17 Lower O'Connell street.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION,
B. & Co. 5 HERBERT PLACE OCT 6TH.
POSSESSION. CONVENIENT SITUATION.

Soundly-built old Dublin House, 2 doors from Baggot street, containing hall, study, diningroom, drawingroom (all with modern grates), 4 bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c.; maid's room, kitchen; usual offices; electric light; front garden. Coach-house and Stable let at £20 per annum. Held for about 80 years at the reduced rent of £10 18s. 0d per annum. P.L.V., £40. Key on Order to View. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or R. W. MACNEICE, Solicitor, 12 Westmoreland street.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION,
B. & Co. 23 BRIGHTON ROAD, RATHGAR. OCT 6TH
POSSESSION. SELECT SUBURBAN DISTRICT.

Handsome Modern Residence, bay windows to top, containing drawingroom, dining-room (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, return room, maid's room, bathroom, h. and c.; large garden, with garage space. Held for long terms from 1897, subject to the unredeemed rent of £2 2s. P.L.V., £35. Seen on Card. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or W. V. SEDDALL, Solicitor, 5 Westmoreland street.

BATTERSBY & CO. WILL SELL BY AUCTION,
B. & Co. "TEMPLEVILLE," BOOTERSTOWN AVENUE. OCT. 6TH
POSSESSION. CHOICE SITUATION.

Convenient to tram and train, substantially constructed. Contains 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, dressing room, bathroom (h. and c.); maid's room, kitchen; good garden, new drainage. Held for 85 years (or less) from 1st May, 1917. P.L.V., £30. Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or RYAN and O'BRIEN, Solicitors, 35 Stephen's Green, N.

OUR SALE ON THE 20TH OCTOBER WILL INCLUDE

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B. & Co. 98 HADDINGTON ROAD. OCT. 20TH
B. & Co. 41 DRUMCONDRA PARK. OCT. 20TH
B. & CO. "THE HOLLIES," 7 SHANGANAGH TCE., OCT. 20TH
BALLYBRACK.
ALL WITH POSSESSION.

FURNITURE SALES FOR OCTOBER.
OCT. 11TH, 17 LEINSTER SQUARE, RATHMINES.
OCT. 13TH, "SYLVAN LODGE," TERENURE ROAD.
OCT. 18TH, "HAMILTON LODGE," BLACKROCK.

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WILLIAM MONTGOMERY & SON have been instructed by A. G. Hollinshead, Esq., Official Assignee, pursuant to an Order of the Court, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION on the Premises, 32 North King street, on WEDNESDAY, 5th OCTOBER, 1927, at 12 Noon, the ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE AND EQUIPMENT, chiefly comprising: Tinned Milks, Sauces, Jellies, Soup Powders, Household Screens, Indian Bronze Vase, 6ft.; Gilt-frame Girandoles, Carved Walnut Overmantels, Mahogany Screw Dining Table, magnificent Carved Oak Sideboard, Carved Walnut Cabinet Sideboard, Oil Paintings, Engravings and Water Colours, Lace Curtains, best quality Tapestry Carpets and Stairs Carpeting, Carved Walnut Bedroom Suite, with 6ft. mirror door; Wardrobe Toilet Table, with reflex choral mirrors and marble-top pedestal Washstands; Satin Walnut and Maple Bedroom Suite, Inlaid Walnut Suite, All-brass Bedsteads and Bedding, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Table Glass and China, Fluted Ware, including a massive Centrepiece. OUTDOOR EFFECTS, including Garden Vases and large Fancy Stone Figures.

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WM. MONTGOMERY & SON (DUBLIN), M.I.A.A.,
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COUNTY OF MEATH.
IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF
VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENTIAL FARM
AT

CLONLEASON, FORDSTOWN, KELLS.

WE AND G. ARMSTRONG are favoured with instructions from the Administratrix of the late Edward Bookey, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, at their Offices, Market street, Kells, on SATURDAY, 15th OCTOBER, 1927, at the hour of 3 o'clock precisely,

All the Estate, Right, Title and Interest in Part of that portion of the Lands of Clonleason, situate in the Parish of Girley, Barony of Upper Kells and County of Meath, containing 168a. 1r. 9p., or thereabouts, Statute measure, held in fee-simple, subject to an annuity of £134 5s. 0d., payable by half-yearly instalments to the Irish Land Commission. Poor Law Valuation, £179.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The Lands comprising the above Farm are widely known for their fattening properties, and are nicely divided into suitable divisions, well sheltered and fenced, with a never-failing water supply.

The Residence, which is substantially built, is approached by an avenue, with gate lodge, and contains drawingroom, diningroom, 4 bedrooms, 2 servants' rooms, kitchen, pantry, dairy, coal-house, etc. A well-stocked garden adjoins the house, also an orchard.

The Farmery, which is convenient to the Residence, consists of Cattle Barn, 2 cattle sheds, stable (3 stalls and loose box), coachhouse, straw house, saw-room, byre and dairy. There are also convenient four-bay cow shed (6 bays), and piggery, slurry tank, horse-pen and loose-box.

Clonleason is situated about 5 miles from Kells (G. N. Railways), and 4 miles from Athboy (M. G. W. Railway).

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

W. & G. ARMSTRONG, Esqs., Solicitor handling Auctioneers of Sale, Kells, Co. Meath; or to

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Auctioneers, Valuers and Cattle Salesmen,
KELLS, and 83 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN.

COUNTY LOUTH.
SALE OF SUPERIOR FARM OF LAND,
WITH MODERN UP-TO-DATE RESIDENCE AND EXTENSIVE OUT-OFFICES,
SITUATE AT HARRISTOWN, ARDEE,
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, AT AUCTION ROOMS, CASTLE ST., ARDEE,
On TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER, 1927,
At 2 o'clock.

I HAVE received instructions from Lester J. Doran, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, all that well-known Farm of Land, situate at Harristown, Ardee, containing 202a. 3r. 36p., or 56 perches, Statute measure, of thereabouts, held in fee, subject to a terminable annuity of £127 4s., payable to the Irish Land Commission. P.L.V., £268 10s.

The land is of the very best quality, suitable for grazing or tillage, and has been kept in a high state of cultivation, and is one of the best farms in County Louth.

There is a fine modern three-storeyed residence on the holding, containing drawingroom, dining-room, five bedrooms, kitchen, parlour, and scullery, with bathroom (h. and c. water), and lavatory. A considerable sum has recently been spent to make the residence up-to-date.

The out-offices are extensive and suitable to the holding. Cattle shed, with cement floor and manger, capable of stalling 50 head of cattle; also three galvanised hay and corn sheds, stabling for 5 horses, piggeries, etc.

An orchard and garden containing about two acres, is attached to the residence, with fruit trees planted about ten years ago, and now in full fruit bearing.

There is, in addition to the main residence on the farm, a newly erected two-storeyed slated house, with garden attached, at present occupied by Vendor's sister.

The property is situate 11 miles from the town of Ardee, and 5 miles from Dromin Junction, both stations on the Great Northern Railway.

For particulars and conditions of Sale apply to J. B. HAMILTON, Esq., LL.B., Solicitor, Dundalk and Ardee; or to

GERALD BROPHY, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
ARDEE.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

TUESDAY, 4TH OCTOBER.
SOUTHILL COTTAGE, SOUTHILL AVENUE, UPPER MOUNT MERRION AVENUE, BLACKROCK, OF ENTIRE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
FULL PARTICULARS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.

ASHFIELD PARK HOUSE, ASHDALE RD., TERENURE.
A DESIRABLE, WELL-BUILT, DETACHED RESIDENCE, STANDING IN ABOUT 2 ACRES.

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A handsome Detached Residence, with about two acres of land, having entrances from Ashdale road and Mount Tallant avenue. The Residence lends itself to division into two houses if desired. It contains 4 sitting-rooms, full-size billiard room, 8 bedrooms, servants' rooms, fully-fitted bathroom (with hot and cold water), tiled kitchen, scullery, pantry, etc.; gas and pantry water throughout; fruit and vegetable gardens, room for tennis court, extensive out-offices, stabling, garages, etc.; portion of land adjoining garden, consisting of triangular plot, is suited as plots for 10 years from 1st May, 1926, at yearly standard rate of £12 per annum; gate lodge fit to specially tenant at 4/- per week. Clear possession (save of plot and gate lodge) will be given to purchaser.

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Messrs. O'KEEFFE & LYNCH, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 30 Molesworth street.

41 GROSVENOR ROAD, RATHGAR.
POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Compact modern Residence, without basement, containing drawingroom, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, kitchen and pantries, bathroom (hot and cold water), separate lavatory; electric light throughout; telephone; gardens front and rear, side and rear entrances. The House is in perfect order, and does not require any outlay whatever. Lease 75½ years, at £25.

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SALE TUESDAY, 18TH OCTOBER, 8 TEMPLE VILLAS, PALMERSTON ROAD.
A MOST DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, FIRST-CLASS POSITION.

TO BE SOLD WITH POSSESSION. Non-basement Semi-detached House, containing 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom (hot and cold water); garden, side entrance, room for garage. Held for 500 years, and Sold subject to £12 per annum. Key with Auctioneers. Open Sundays and Saturdays, 3.5 p.m. Messrs. MOLLOY & FAYLE, 18 Eustace street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

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Conveniently-situated private Dwellinghouse and Premises, containing 7 apartments, bathroom (with hot and cold water), w.c.; kitchen, scullery, etc.; electric light throughout; also gas; large garden at rear and garage.

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FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO. have received instructions to SELL THE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, by AUCTION (by order of the Executors), on TUESDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 43 Fitzwilliam place, principally the Property of the late Most Rev. and Right Honorable J. H. BERNARD, D.D., Provost of Trinity College, including: Antique Sideboards, Bureaux, Sofa Table, Revolving Bookcase, Mahogany and other Bookcases and Cabinets, Telescope Dining Table, Mahogany Circular and Half-round Tables, Cottage Pianoforte, (Broadwood), by John Broad Piano, Mahogany and Rosewood Sarcophagus, Open Mahogany Sideboard, Benares Tray and Stand, Revolving Bookstands, Cupboards, Sets Chairs, Easy Chairs, Falling-leaf Tables, Occasional Chairs, Hall Table, etc.; Mahogany and other Bedsteads, Wheels Drawers, and Painted Pine Bedroom Suites, Duchesse Washstand, Toilet Tables, Mirrors, Pedestals, Toilet Ware, Carpets, Rugs, Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; usual Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils.

ON VIEW MONDAY, 3rd OCT.; FROM 10 to 5.

SALE TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, SOUTHILL COTTAGE, SOUTHILL AVENUE, UPPER MOUNT MERRION AVENUE, BLACKROCK, OF ENTIRE FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
FULL PARTICULARS IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

ASHFIELD PARK HOUSE, TERENURE.
(THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE DR. P. J. BARRY.)

BENNETT & SON, LTD., M.I.A.A., are favoured with instructions from the EXECUTORS of the late DR. P. J. BARRY, to SELL BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5th, 1927, and following day, THE

ENTIRE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE RESIDENCE,

Particularly:—Chippendale and Sheraton Furniture, Old English Satinwood Tables, Old Walnut Bureau, Bibliophonon Furniture, in Mahogany; Carved and Gilt-wood Console Tables and Mirrors, handsome Cut and Coloured Glass Chandelier, Double Cabinet and Single Cabinet of Marble and Bronze Figures, Italian Cabinet of Ebony and Ivory, Collard and Collard Grand Piano, Billiardroom Appointments; Collection of old Chinese and Japanese China, Rare Old Persian Rugs, Fine Bronzes, Hughtenberger, Berghem, Guido Hogarth, and others; Coloured Prints, Miniatures; superior Mahogany Bedroom Furniture; Library of Books on Art, Biography and Irish History, etc., etc.

On VIEW TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4th, 1927. Admission to View and Sale by Card, 1/- each. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

SOLICITORS: Messrs. O'KEEFFE and LYNCH, Molesworth street.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

28 PEARSE STREET DUBLIN
(LATE GREAT BRUNSWICK STREET).

BENNETT & SON, LTD., are favoured with instructions from Messrs. D. I. JONES (D. I. Jones and Sons, Tailors and Outfitters), to SELL BY AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, 12th OCTOBER, 1927, commencing at 12 Noon, THE COMPLETE AND EXCELLENT

FURNISHING OF THE ABOVE HOUSE,

COMPRISING PARTICULARLY: Grandfather Clock, in antique mahogany case; Carved Oak Table, Hall and Coat Stand and Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany China Cabinet, Collard and Collard Piano, in rosewood case; Walnut Diningroom Suite, upholstered in Hide; Chippendale suite, Chesterfield and Easy Chairs, Music Cabinet and Seat, Walnut Book and Tea Tables, Pair of Inlaid Terminal Pedestals, Chiming Bracket Clock, Carved Mahogany and Walnut Overmantels, Brass-Fire-place Furnishings, Ebony Corner Cabinet; Louis XV. Striped Settee, Diningroom Suite, Chesterfield, and another in oak; two Walnut Sideboards, Dining Tables and Chesterfield, Antique Mahogany Writing Table, Three-tier Mahogany Waiter, Roll-top Desk, Walnut Davenport Cabinet, Axminster and Willon Carpets and Rugs, Oil Paintings, Watercolours and Engravings, Wall-seat Carved Walnut Overmantel, Inlaid Mahogany Bedsteads, Mahogany and Walnut Chests of Drawers, Satin Walnut Bedroom Suite, Oak Suite, Walnut Wardrobe, and other Bedroom Furniture; Decorative Table Glass and China, Kitchen Requisites and Utensils, Mangle, Lawnmower, Barrow, Bench, Ladders, Garden Tools, etc.

On View Tuesday, October 11th, 1927. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

NOTE.—These well-lighted Shop Premises, and superior Dwellinghouse over same, are now TO LET. Particulars from

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED, M.I.A.A.,
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SALE OF CARPETS AND RUGS.
IMPORTANT AUCTION
AT

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25 BACHELOR'S WALK.

ON TUESDAY, 11TH OCTOBER, & FOLLOWING DAY (IF NECESSARY),

COMPRISING A LARGE AND MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION OF EASTERN CARPETS, including: Some Fine Examples of Valuable Persian, Afghan, Khiva, Kandahar, Kurmanshar, Sheras, Anatolian, etc.; TURKEY, INDIAN and CHINESE, comprising the very finest possible to obtain.

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CARNE FARM, PORTADOWN.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF
VALUABLE LARGE FARM OF ABOUT 260 ACRES,
WITH SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE AND EXTENSIVE OUT-OFFICES, SITUATE IN THE TOWNLANDS OF CARNE, BALLYNEIRY AND BALLYNACORR, IN THE COUNTY OF ARMAGH, KNOWN AS CARNE FARM.

WE have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT CARNE HOUSE, on FRIDAY, the 14th OCTOBER, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following properties in one or more lots:—

LOT 1.—FIRST PORTION of the lands of Carne, containing 47a. acres, Statute measure, with the Residence, Out-Offices, and Farm Buildings thereon, held as a statutory tenancy, at the yearly judicial rent of £29, and agreed to be purchased under the provisions of the Northern Ireland Land Act, 1923.

The dwellinghouse, which is two storeys high and slated, is very substantially built and fitted with all modern equipment. It is nicely set back from the county road, with land in front, containing ornamental trees and shrubs in front, and contains large hall, 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, lavatory, and ample servants' appointments, all in excellent order.

The farm buildings are substantial, extensive, well equipped, and comprise byres for 100 cows, stabling for 8 horses, large cattle houses, feeding house, with feed mixer, over large dairy; piggeries for 20 head, with yard, concrete floors and earthenware troughs; cart shed for six carts, weighbridge (5 tons), with office; also large garage.

LOT 2.—PARTS of the lands of Carne, on the opposite side of the county road from Lot 1, containing 47a. acres, Statute measure, held in like manner as Lot 1, at the yearly judicial rent of £25 10/-.

Lots 1 and 2 are subject to a yearly tithe rent charge of £1 9/10, and small Lough Neagh drainage rate about 8/- yearly.

LOT 3.—PARTS of the lands of Carne, adjacent to Lots 1 and 2, containing 24a. acres, Statute measure, held in like manner as Lots 1 and 2, at the yearly judicial rent of £17 10/-.

LOT 4.—PARTS of the lands of Ballynery, containing 133a. acres, Statute measure, held in fee-simple under the Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts, subject to a terminable annuity of £75 11/10 (final period).

There is an excellent, well-built, two-storey and slated dwellinghouse on this lot, let with small garden, and producing £15 12/- per annum.

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LOT 5.—PARTS of the lands of Ballynacor, containing 6 acres, Statute measure, held in fee-simple under the Land Purchase (Ireland) Acts, subject to a terminable annuity of £7 7/3 half-yearly. This lot is subject to a small Lough Neagh drainage rate.

The lands forming the several lots, which practically adjoin one another, have been worked as one farm for dairy, cattle raising and general farming. There are all well fenced, drained, and watered, laid out in suitably proportioned fields, and being intersected by the leading county road from Portadown to Banbridge, many of the fields are entered therefrom. Being situate about 3 miles from Portadown (town boundary), the lands possess advantages for dairy and poultry purposes not attaching to farms more remotely situated.

The cubic contents, with small portions of land attached, produce annually about £64 (see lease). For title, terms, and further particulars apply to J. SYDNEY BRIGHT, Solicitor, Portadown; or to

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DISPERSAL SALE OF LIVE STOCK
AT EDGEWORTHSTOWN HOUSE.

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Catalogues on application.

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Auctioneers, Cattlesalesmen,
CO. LONGFORD.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF THOROUGHBRED HORSES, FARM HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP, HAY, STRAW, FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

MOYNALVEY LODGE, SUMMERHILL.

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(2) Precaution, Spearmint (1922), bay mare, by Spearmint out of Mira, by Saint Frusquin out of Miranda, by Gallinule, with colt foal at foot by Arch Gift, foaled in April, and covered by Arch Gift. Last service, 15th June.

(3) Brown Mare (1926), by Birlingham, out of Burnt Almond, by Galtrim, out of Fanny's Folly by Ayrshire, covered by Arch Gift. Last service, 30th April.

(4) Yearling Filly by Achtel, out of Grand Chartreuse Lot (1).

(5) Yearling Filly by Arch Gift, out of Princess Spearmint Lot (2).

Harness Cob, 3 Farm Horses, 1 Donkey.

CATTLE.

19 Polly Bullocks, 3½-3 years old, in forward condition; 1 Horned Bullock, 22 Fat Heifers, 6 two year old Heifers, 2 one and half year old Heifers, 3 Milch Cows, 2 Fat Cows, 2 Young Calves, 2 Heifer Calves, 1 Bullock Calf.

SHEEP.

100 Fat Galway Ewes, 9 Fat Lambs, 6 Shrop Ram Lambs, 4 Shrop Hogget Ewes, 7 Shrop Ewes, 6 Shrop Rams, 1 Shrop Hogget Ram.

OUTDOOR EFFECTS AND FARM IMPLEMENTS.

A large quantity of Hay and Straw. Hupmobile 5-Seater Touring Motor Car, Tub Trap, by Grady, Dublin; Pony Cart and Harness, 4 Farm Carts, 3 Sets Cart Harness, Set of Car Harness, Corrugated Iron Shed, 2 Corn Bins, Lawn Mower, Spring Tooth Harrow, Wheel Plough, Hay Gathering Wooden Roller, Turnip Pulper, 2 Gent's Saddles, Bridles and Sidecurb, Railway Sleepers, Metal and Wooden Feeding Troughs, 1 Oil Cake Crusher, Pulley Blocks, Ladder, Metal Water Tank, Ransome Hay Rakes, Oil Cabinet, Wheel Barrow, large Heap of Manure, Screen Iron, a quantity of Meshes of Post Iron, Corn Sacks, and a large number of Forks.

Terms and Conditions of Sale

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MALAHIDE ROAD, CLONTARF. POSSESSION 1st June, 1928, unless sooner required. Lease, 77½ years, from March, 1920, at £75.

FOR AUCTION, at 188 PEARSE STREET, ON TUESDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 12 o'clock.

House contains 2 sittingrooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, front grass plot, garden at rear, with space for garage. Choice of surroundings. Boundary to be adjusted. Plan, maps to O'Connell Bridge. Convenient to churches, shopping and schools. Condition of Sale from

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